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HOME COMING
AND CENTENNIAL
GREAT SUCCESSWonderful Week of Reunion
and Celebration Now
in Full Blast at Louisa.

This week, and one of the largest, that ever assembled within her limits. It is good for the soul to watch the greetings of the scores of old friends, many of whom have not seen each other for 40 years, others for 30, 25 or 20 years. They are bubbling over with joy, and many are the instances in which they involuntarily embrace and imprint kisses that ordinarily would not be exchanged. And it is alright and perfectly proper on this occasion.

The Home Coming has brought former citizens from all points of the compass and the affair is a big success. Letters and telegrams of regret have come from some who could not attend.

They began to arrive Saturday and the influx has continued in growing numbers right along. Everybody gives unmistakable evidences of enjoyment. There is something to do all the time.

The decorations of streets, buildings and homes are very attractive. Main Cross street in front of court house square is cut off from automobile and vehicle traffic. Two huge arches span the street at each end of the square. "Welcome Home" stands cut in strong letters from the central place in these arches. This wide and beautifully paved street and the shady lawn of the court house square form an ideal place for all the outdoor exercises. Decorations of bunting, flags and pennants, and lines of electric lights are very tastefully arranged. A stand for speakers is located in the street.

"Welcome" is on the door mats, the door posts, the faces of our people and in their hearts. And we know the old friends, glad they came back to the old home town on this occasion. The homes are open to them and it is difficult to judge which are having the best time—the hosts or the guests.

After prayer by Rev. John Cheap, the exercises opened on Monday afternoon with a warm address of welcome by Mayor L. F. Wellman. He voiced the sentiments of Louisa and Lawrence county in well chosen and fervently uttered language.

Then a quartette composed of Will Cain, Ora Atkins, John Burns and Lela Wellman sang "Home, Sweet Home." Everybody joined in the chorus. Hon. R. C. McClure, master of ceremonies, presented Mrs. Melva Gartin Funk of Chicago, who made a beautiful response to the address of welcome. She is one of the most enthusiastic of the great number of people who have come back home for this occasion, and her heart was in everything she said. We hope to publish at least a portion of her address later, if not this week.

She was followed by Dr. W. H. McClure of Lexington, a long-time Lawrence countyman, who delivered a most pleasing and appropriate address. He reversed the trend of the speeches and voiced the sentiment of the old home town and made it what it is. He reviewed local history in an interesting manner.

Next came Major D. J. Burchett, now physically of Mr. Sterling, but in spirit of Louisa. We may be taking undue liberty in saying this, but his heartfelt speech so impressed us, we went back nearly 75 years, to the time his residence in Louisa began, and made many references by name and otherwise to people who have lived here. His address was warmly received by the large crowd.

Luther Walter of Chicago was the next speaker. He has been absent about 20 years, during which time he has developed into a very useful, efficient and capable citizen. He is a polished speaker of fine presence and perfect poise. Not only that, but what he says is worth while and to the point. His address was a gem. The fact that he left his busy office long enough to come to this home coming is sufficient evidence of his deep interest in his old home county.

J. W. Stewart put the finishing touches on the welcome program. He lives with one foot in Ashland and the other in Louisa, and he doesn't care who knows it. He said he could hardly decide whether he should have come on the program to welcome the visitors or to respond to the Mayor's welcome. So he did a part of both and did it beautifully.

There was not a dull moment in the entire program and everybody present was better for having been there. The spirit of the occasion was decidedly elevating and inspiring. It was really a love feast and it put the occasion in proper tune for the week of celebration.

Delightful Music.

The Kentucky Cardinals Band arrived Monday evening at 8:30, the train being late. A short time later the band gave a concert on Main Cross street in front of the court house. The large crowd that gathered was captivated by the excellent music rendered. It soon convinced the people that advance notices were not exaggerated. These youngsters play like veterans. They have a wonderful director, one of the most thorough musicians in the country. The results here (Continued bottom next column)

PROGRAMS OF
TUESDAY AND
WEDNESDAY GOOD

Military Day and Educational Day Made Up of Interesting Features.

Tuesday, Military Day.

On Tuesday morning there was a military parade led by Col. Jay H. Northrup and Capt. J. W. Yates on horseback, following the band. The former was in uniform and Mr. Yates had across his shoulders a quilt into which a Confederate flag had been worked. There were five old soldiers of the Civil war on horseback and others followed in automobiles, the blue and the grey sides by side.

Next in the procession came Spanish American veterans and then some of the World war men. Bringing up the rear was the State cavalry troop of this county, commanded by Capt. Fred See.

As far as we could get their names the following Civil war veterans were in the march:

Col. Northrup, J. W. Yates, H. E. Ferguson, Geo. Keggs, Bob Chaffin, on horseback.

S. F. Reynolds, Marlon Stone Maj. Burchett, J. C. L. Moore, Wiley G. Prater, Dr. J. F. Hatten, Jno. T. Jones, H. Allison (colored), R. C. Roberts, Wm. Carey, Jess Maynard, Tom Plag, Mat Elam, Jed Davis, Captain Blankenship, R. A. McKee.

The Poppy Day appeal by Fred M. Vinson and M. S. Burns was made to the crowd that assembled after the parade. Girls had been through the streets selling poppies. This fund is for building a university at Washington as a memorial to the soldiers of the World war and the quota for each county all over the United States is one dollar for every soldier sent out. Lawrence sent \$81.

Afternoon there was a baseball game between the teams and bats. The team played the game to death in two innings and quit. The score was disgraceful.

The Cavalry troop gave a machine gun demonstration at Lick creek at 3:30. Then there was an airplane flight.

In the evening the band concert brought out a large crowd who greatly enjoyed the music. Mrs. L. S. Johnson and Mrs. Sullivan sang an old song very beautifully from the speakers stand, by request of a number of people. After the concert Miss Pauline Funk, of Chicago, sang in the M. E. Church South, some songs composed by herself. One was written especially for this occasion and it is published in this issue of the NEWS. Also, she sang a lullaby. Both were beautifully rendered. She possesses a good soprano voice and it is well cultivated. Miss Funk writes the music and the words and then sings the songs, a remarkable combination of talents. The songs given Tuesday evening were very beautiful. Miss Jeanne Adams played her accompaniment. Miss Funk is the talented daughter of Mrs. Melva Gartin Funk, a native of Lawrence county, sister of the John P. Gartin, whom we have loaned to Ashland for awhile.

June Wald, an oil man formerly of Martha, but now in Illinois, drew the \$100 set of wicker furniture Tuesday evening.

Wednesday, Educational Day.

After an enjoyable band concert from 10 to 10:40, Hon. George Colvin, State Superintendent of Schools, was introduced by Supt. Dock Jordan to the large crowd assembled in front of the court house. He spoke for a little more than an hour in his vigorous and impressive way, dealing with the present disturbed conditions first and then launching into the subject nearest his heart—education. It was a great speech. He denounced in the most scathing terms the practice of mixing politics with school matters. He pleaded for better schools and for a higher standard all the way through Kentucky's educational affairs. His speech was pitched upon a high plane. His audience was very liberal in applause and those who heard him are profuse in their praise of the address.

Base Ball Game.

In the afternoon the Wayne and Louisa base ball teams played a good game, Louisa winning 10 to 2. Tavernier pitched a fine game and Frazier put up his usual strong game behind the bat. There were seven Huntington players in the Wayne team, including Midkiff, the professional, and Ramsey, the best pitchers in Huntington. They met the surprise of their lives. Only four hits were made off of Tavernier.

There was a band concert in the afternoon with the usual amount of interest displayed by the audience.

Masonic Academy Reunion.

At 3:30 at Masonic Hall there was a meeting of the old Masonic Academy pupils and a number of the close friends of Dr. G. W. Wroten. Hon. John F. Hager of Ashland presided. Twenty-five of those present were students at Masonic Academy at some time between 1865 and 1870. We believe there has been no gathering in Louisa that has surpassed this one in wholesome sentiment and emotion. Mr. Hager was very happy in his manner of directing the meeting, mixing humor with pathos, and keeping away from formality. He announced at the outset that all were to be school girls and boys again for the duration of this meeting—no doctors, judges, mistresses or misters—but John, Will, Dan, Lizzie, Hannah, etc. And this was carried out. More beautiful and fitting tribute could not be offered than Mr. Hager paid to his beloved teacher, the departed Dr. Wroten; and he was deeply moved, as were all others, by the testimony that came so freely and earnestly from many of those in the gathering. There was a degree of sadness running through the meeting, yet a joy inexpressible pervading this reunion. Some volunteered to speak and others were called upon. Those who responded were Dr. Ben McClure, Lon Hutchison, Capt. F. F. Freese, Fred Gallup, Major D. J. Burchett, R. C. McClure, Mrs. Hannah Lackey, Mrs. Sam See, Mrs. Ida McConnell, Mrs. Annie Franklin, Dan Davenport, M. F. Conley, Mrs. Ella Hays and R. S. Billups.

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Thursday.

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The lodge rooms were open all day and officials registers were provided. Ball game and music in the afternoon. V. B. Shortridge and Hence Vanbora opened the county fair. The women's department is in the new Walters building and agricultural exhibits in the court house. Live stock on Water street side of the public square.

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Friday and Saturday will be occupied by the county fair program. You will find full list of prizes and conditions in the pamphlet programs, of which there is an ample supply at the disposal of everybody.

There will be a baby show Friday at 2 p. m.

The Ford car will be awarded Friday evening and the Studebaker on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Sam See will make a speech on good roads Saturday at 10:30 a. m. from the grand stand at the court house.

An effort is being made as we go to press to have an airplane here for Saturday in order to avoid disappointing people. The arrangements will be completed if possible.

Sunday's Program. This week's program extends over Sunday. The Sunday Schools will have special exercises. All old members are invited home and a great many will be present.

This committee on the Sunday program wired Rev. H. C. Morrison, asking him to come to Louisa to address a union meeting Sunday. Also, other big men are under consideration and it is expected that some man of wide reputation will be secured.

Personnel of Lawrence County Centennial Association

Augustus Snyder, President. M. S. Burns, 1st Vice President. M. F. Conley, 2nd Vice President. Dr. T. D. Burgess, 3rd Vice President. Geo. R. Vinson, Treasurer. C. F. See, Jr., Secretary. Clyde L. Miller, Manager. Fred M. Vinson, Associate Manager. R. C. McClure, Director of Publicity. O. C. Atkins, Director of Conventions. R. L. Vinson, Director of Entertainment. Dr. Proctor Sparks, Director of Athletics. A. J. Garred and G. W. Hale, Directors Clean-up Campaign. A. H. Snyder, Director of Traffic Regulations. W. T. Cain, Jr., and Jno. B. Vaughan, Directors of Music. G. R. Burgess, Street Decorations. John G. Burns and G. C. Baker, Directors Finance Campaign and County Fair Section.

The greater part of the work fell upon the manager, C. F. Miller. He planned most of the affair and looked after its execution. The success of the occasion is the highest compliment that can be paid to him for this big job, which has cost him much arduous labor and no reward except the consciousness of doing a good piece of community service, one that is bringing happiness to so many people.

THE KENTUCKY CARDINALS. The following is from the Maysville Daily Ledger of Tuesday: "The Kentucky Cardinal Band which is this week making music for the Louisa home coming and the Lawrence county fair was heard from for the first time Tuesday morning. The members of the band are having a great time according to the telegram received by Col. Russell from Messrs. Frank Hendrickson and A. L. Glascock, who are in charge of the band.

The telegram says: "Played concert to 3000 people last night. Received great applause. Music appreciated. The boys are making as great a hit with the Big Sandy girls as the music is with the people. The boys are charmed with the girls and we will have hard time to get them away. All well and pleasantly located. You ought to be here to enjoy the glad hand they are giving us. Send more Cardinal post cards at once."

HENDRICKSON & GLASCOCK. LOUISA'S SIX EX-POSTMASTERS. Louisa has a remarkable record in its long list of ex-postmasters who are living, covering a period of more than 50 years. Only two are dead, Mrs. Chattie Sullivan and James A. Abbott. Those living are all in Louisa this week. They are Leo Frank, Major D. J. Burchett, R. C. McClure, M. F. Conley, A. M. Hughes and Robert Dixon.

MORE PICTURES FOLLOWING. The Big Sandy News did not get all the pictures desired for this issue. Next week will contain a few more in connection with the closing report of this week's affair.

We know there will be names omitted and special mention not made this week because it is impossible to cover this big affair completely in limited space.

THE KENTUCKY CARDINALS A WONDERFUL BAND. We shall not undertake in this issue to give proper notice to the great band we have in Louisa this week. In our next issue we shall tell our readers some inside facts about this interesting organization.



LUTHER M. WALTER.

Lawrence county has a right to be proud of the man whose picture is shown just above this sketch. He has won fame and some big fees in the legal profession. His career as an expert in Interstate Commerce law started in Washington. Then he located in Chicago where his success has been very marked. He ranks high in legal circles in the big city of Chicago and has been called to other parts of the United States in large cases.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Walter of Bisine, Lawrence county. He was always bright, studious and ambitious. He attained an excellent education and then went out into the world and made good. Lawrence county is proud of him, and the committee chose him to deliver a response to the address of welcome on this home coming occasion.

The Airplane Was
Wrecked on Wednesday

Very much to the regret of everybody the airplane that was employed to fly at the centennial celebration every day, was badly wrecked Wednesday morning after the usual flight. In attempting to land at Elsie the machine came in the edge of the cornfield and the tall corn broke the propeller blades. The machine hit the ground hard and broke the wings from one side and otherwise damaged it. The flyer and the passenger were not injured. The latter was Charley Kinner.

The machine is so badly damaged that it can not be repaired in time to make any more flights here this week. This is very much regretted by all, but the accident was, of course, unavoidable.

Dr. Grover C. Daniel
Makes a Contribution

U. S. Vets Hospital No. 95
Walla Walla, Washington
Editor Big Sandy News:

I get my copy of the NEWS regularly and certainly enjoy the news from home. Am very much interested in the Home Coming Week although I'll be unable to attend. Enclosed find check for five dollars which I trust will be of some help in making the event a success.

Sincerely,
GROVER C. DANIEL.

Mrs. Margaret Bird
Goes to Porto Rico

Mrs. Margaret O'Brien Bird, who has lived at Ann Arbor, Mich., for some time is to sail on Sept. 8 for Porto Rico where she has accepted a position as teacher in the University. She will be accompanied by her two children, Katherine and Billy. She was graduated from high school in Louisa and taught here before her marriage. After the death of her husband she went to Ann Arbor and completed a course in the University.

A "GRIEVE-US" ERROR.

The article about Prof. T. B. McClure in this second section of this week's edition contains an error that may shock him as well as others when they read it. We wrote the "years of his maturity" and the wicked typewriter set the last word so it spells something very different and quite impossible. A correction was marked in the proof, but as it often occurs, the most outrageous errors will get in the way through. Such is life in a newspaper office. We hope Prof. McClure will feel that the joke is on us.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

We find records of this Sunday school as far back as 1868. It is our desire that every one whose name has ever appeared on the roll, who can possibly do so, be present on Sunday, Sept. 3, for a reunion. Also we extend a cordial invitation to every one, including any visitors in town to meet with us on Sunday morning at 9:15.

AUGUSTUS SNYDER, Supt.

MRS. FUNK'S SOCIAL
SERVICE WORK IN CHICAGO

Luther Walter paid a very high tribute to the great work done in Chicago by Mrs. Melva Funk. She has given years of service to the betterment of conditions for poor children and Mr. Walter testifies to the wonderful results she has accomplished in that big city. Just another case of Big Sandy putting it over the rest of the world.



MRS. BELLE MOORE.

Mrs. Belle Moore, now 80 years old, is the oldest member of the M. E. Church South at this place. She joined at age 14. Her father's family came here from Tennessee when she was a small child. Her maiden name was O'Brien. She was a sister of Judge James H. O'Brien and Mrs. Wm. Moore, and is the widow of Mr. F. R. (Tip) Moore, who died more than a year ago.

Mrs. Moore has been a most useful woman, always ready to help the sick and needy of the community.

EXTRA COPIES OF THE NEWS.

We have printed a considerable number of extra copies of the Big Sandy News this week, as many people have ordered extras. It covers more local history than ever before was gathered together in one publication. Single copies will be furnished at 10c. Six copies for 50c, one dozen for \$1.00.

Basseyville & Smoky Valley

Rev. Polly filled his regular appointment at Basseyville Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Mrs. O. L. Roy and daughters of Huntington are spending a few days with home folks at Basseyville.

Mrs. J. F. Nolen and little son spent Saturday night and Sunday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nolen.

Rev. Burgess attended church at Basseyville Sunday morning.

Mrs. Arnold Bowe, who has typhoid fever is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Miller of Ligon are visiting home folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pigg of Basseyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Wellman were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Blain Meade Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Muncy and family were calling on Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Meek Sunday.

Mrs. Ambrose Skags and sons were calling on Mrs. Ambrose Hays Sunday afternoon.

Frank Martin was calling on Miss Hazel Muncy Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Holt took dinner with H. W. Bussey and family Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Dry Ridge Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Prestonsburg were the week-end guests of their daughter, Mrs. Felix Wellman of Basseyville.

Miss Alvie Bradley spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Tom Carter.

Misses Inez Wellman and Nannie Nolen attended church at Basseyville Sunday.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Hay of Smoky Valley and took from them the little two-year old son who has been sick for some time.

Opal Hardwick of Lick creek was the guest of Garnie Diamond Sunday.

Edith Bowe and Veryl Bradley were the dinner guests of the Misses Hay Sunday.

Lyne and Cecil Thompson and John Swin were at T. H. Bowe's Saturday.

JEFF AND MUTT.

DENNIS

Several from this place are attending the revival at Brammer Gap.

Diphtheria is, at present, a prevalent disease in our vicinity. However, no new cases have developed within the past few days and we hope it is now subdued.

The children of John Compton and Jake Arrington have been its victims but we are informed that all are now on the road to recovery.

Schools in this locality are progressing with good attendance and much interest being manifested. Kentucky schools are coming to the front and we all heartily endorse the movement of better qualifications for teachers.

We think our children are entitled to the best that can be obtained for them and to do honor to "Old Kentucky" they must have a good stock of this world's knowledge.

We also think the compulsory attendance law a great thing and many older ones find themselves wishing there had been measures to this effect enforced in our own school days. If today would find more people all over Kentucky engaged in profitable business and a less number in moonshining, gambling and other notorious habits which can only lead to crime and destruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bradley passed through here Sunday.

Reba N. Cooksey was at Dennis Friday.

Neva Blankenship spent Friday night with friends here.

Leonard and Webb Watson were visitors at Dennis school Tuesday afternoon.

George McGuire of Louisa was a caller at J. A. Rice's Saturday.

Naaman Brainard and Chester Webb were at Dennis Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pink were calling on A. J. Webb Sunday evening.

Bertha and Virgie Hutchinson spent Sunday with Jatto friends.

George Burton of Midland, Pa. is expected home soon.

S. R. Chaffin of Jaeger, W. Va., was visiting relatives at this place last week.

HELEN AND TROY.

Try an ad in our classified column. The cost is small and the returns are nearly always sure.

"111"
cigarettes



10¢
They are GOOD!

WAYNE ITEMS

Dr. Frichard Hardwick of Huntington was the guest of his brother, D. H. Hardwick, the first of the week.

Clyde Skags of Logan is home for two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Walter Kerr of Huntington visited relatives here the last of the week.

Miss Ora Gunnells of Birdstown, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. J. Thompson.

Mrs. C. F. Allee had as dinner guests Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Scags and son, Mrs. E. L. Marcum and daughter, Nancy, of Ceredo.

Homer Hooton of Lavalette was here on business Thursday.

Chester Rife of Kenova was here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Taylor and little son of Logan are guests of Mrs. Nan Taylor.

Miss Nila Ketchum and Dorsey Ketchum of West Moreland visited relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Louise Adkins of Kenova is visiting relatives here.

Henry Hensley of Kenova was here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wilcox of Huntington are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Damron, Mr. and Mrs. Eason Cole of Ceredo motored to Wayne Sunday and spent the day with Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Damron.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Porter of Huntington visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thompson and family spent Sunday with Ashland relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Scags and son spent Sunday with Ceredo relatives.

E. O. Curnutte of Ferguson was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Nan Taylor spent Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Arthur at East Lynn.

Miss Beatrice Hardwick invited a number of little friends on Tuesday afternoon to help celebrate her fifth birthday. After enjoying several games dainty refreshments were served.

GRIMES.

McCHORD TO LEND AID IN SHIPPING ROAD MATERIAL

Washington, Aug. 19.—Accompanied by Senator Richard P. Ernst, Joe S. Boggs, Kentucky State Highway Engineer, and Green Garrett of Winchester, chairman of the State Highway Commission, called on Charles C. McChord, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, today and discussed the problem of getting road materials shipped to Kentucky. They explained that some 5,000 men now employed on highway construction and repair in the Bluegrass State would have to be dismissed within the next thirty days unless additional shipments of materials could be obtained. Mr. McChord assured his fellow-Kentuckians that he would be glad to assist as far as possible, and that he would advise them if anything can be done to expedite the shipment of road materials.

That Was At Rocky Hill.

A man got off No. 5 a few days ago and asked a bystander what the population of Rocky Hill was, and was told to count 'em, by heck, that they were all there.—Smith Grove Times.

Humphreys Uncovers New Oil Pool in Texas

The following refers to Mr. Humphreys, of Charleston, W. Va., known to a number of people in this region:

Discovery of an important new oil pool is indicated by a wild cat drilled by the Humphreys Oil Company near Kosse Texas, and which is producing oil at a rate estimated between 5,000 and 6,000 barrels a day, according to reports just received by the Pure Oil Company.

The development is regarded by the company as the most important and significant since the discovery of Mexia by these same interests. The well began spraying oil at a depth of 2,750 feet, and when drillers began to pull the tools, the pressure of oil blew them out of the hole with a gusher flow of oil.

The location is entirely new with no other drillings in the vicinity. Drilling was started September 1, 1921, and the first showing of oil was noticed on May 1 at a depth of 3,696 feet. On May 8 3,400 feet of five-inch casing dropped 300 feet and the work was held up by fishing, which was not completed and the hole cleaned out until August 12, when at a depth of 3,700 feet drilling was resumed.

Pure Oil-Humphreys interests have 5,200 acres in this locality, making a solid block of leaseholds, and the discovery well is located on the Jones lease, slightly west of the center of their holdings and a mile and a half northwest of the town of Kosse. The oil produced is clean, with a gravity of 29.4 degrees, and a color similar to a dark green lubricant. Some idea of the significance of this new pool discovery is suggested by the fact that the discovery well in the Mexia pool made only 200 barrels a day initial. This production was from the Woodbine sand at 3,065 feet.

As in the case of the Mexia development, the Humphreys Oil Company in which the Pure Oil Company has a 25 per cent interest, has the advantage that accrues to the successful wild cat in the new pool near Kosse, by reason of practically uncontented choice of acreage in the area which has been mapped by the company's geologist as having oil possibilities.

In Mexia field the Pure Oil-Humphreys interests are now producing an output equal to over 50 per cent of the total in the Mexia district. The producing properties of these interests have been consistently averaging considerably over 30,000 barrels daily for the last several months.

Institutions Cost State \$1,742,289

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 18.—Total expenditures of the Department of Charities and Corrections for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, amounted to \$2,062,661.23, according to the annual report made public by J. P. Byers, commissioner.

This amount included the expenses for the central office and for the seven public institutions under the department's control, the three State hospitals, feeble-minded institute, house of reform, State reformatory and State penitentiary. Earnings of the institutions totaled \$320,371.31, making the department's net cost to the State \$1,742,289.92.

Expenditures at each of the institutions were as follows: Eastern State Hospital, \$225,266.50; Central State Hospital, \$443,771.76; Western State Hospital, \$244,610.33; Feeble-minded institute, \$169,656.04; State House of Reform, \$187,721.35; State Reformatory, \$453,592.95; and State Penitentiary, \$152,479.94. Expenses of the central office were \$54,522.36.

The average per capita cost for the year of all institutions was \$265.25 as compared with \$281.50 for the preceding year, a reduction of \$16.65 per capita. The report shows that the total daily average number of inmates for the seven institutions for the year was 7,016.

IN MEMORY

Mrs. Eliza Kimbier died at her son's home, E. S. West, Blaine, Ky., Aug. 20, 1922, age 68 years. She leaves a loving husband, son and daughter-in-law, three grand-daughters and seven grandsons, two brothers, Enoch and Elvin Herd, and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

"Aunt Liza" she was called had been a consistent christian for years. She was fully reconciled during her last days and had no fear of the future. We will miss her in our neighborhood, but we believe our loss has been her great gain.

A good citizen, a fine neighbor and a devoted mother has gone to be with Him who said "Well done, good and faithful servant, thou hast been faithful over a few things; enter thou into the joy of the Lord."

Thus again the gates of heaven have opened to receive a redeemed soul with work all done and suffering ended.

By the passing of our dear neighbor the world becomes more lonely and less attractive and heaven sweeter and more to be desired. She is now in the presence of her Master while we are longing for the reunion.

Let us work and pray that soon he will come again to receive us unto himself and that where he is we may be also.

A FRIEND.

WEBBVILLE

Many from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. John W. Kitchen at Willard last Thursday.

Miss Laura Duncan of Riverton is visiting her brother, Fred and family.

Mrs. W. O. Lay of Huntington, W. Va., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith.

Several of our boys are attending the revival meeting at Brammer Gap.

Miss Chloe Young of Blaine was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bee Holbrook.

The bean stringing given by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shepherd, was largely attended.

Miss Nannie Fay Rucker of Tuscola was a business caller in our town Friday.

Miss Eva Pennington, who has been visiting in Ashland has returned home.

W. W. Keller was on Belstrac last week.

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Prettiest Girl in Three States to be Festival Queen

Covington, Ky., Aug. 19.—The prettiest girl in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky will be asked to be Queen of the Tri-State Tobacco Fair and Fall Festival, which will be held in Covington Oct. 21 to Nov. 4. The search for the prettiest girl is to be started at once on orders of the executive committee of the festival.

Girls anywhere within the three states, between the ages of 16 and 30 are eligible to try for the honor. They are asked to send their names and their photographs to Mayor Thomas F. Donnelly, of Covington, who is chairman of the committee which will select the queen.

A cash prize of \$100 will go with the honor. The photographs received will be placed in the hands of a committee of distinguished artists, who will select the twenty girls who appear the prettiest according to their pictures. These girls will be invited to come to Cincinnati, where the final selection will be made by the artists. The girls' expenses on the trip will be paid by the executive committee. In addition to the queen's prize, there will be consolation prizes for the other nineteen girls.

TO TEACH IN ASHLAND.

Miss Celesta M. See has been elected as a teacher in the Ashland High School, commercial department. Miss Bernard Garred and Miss Lucille Chapman, teachers in the primary department. All are Louisa girls. Miss Chapman having moved from here to Ashland a few years ago.

BURIAL AT SOLDIER.

Mrs. Ollie Frances Reeder, wife of Jna. B. Reeder, died at her home in Portsmouth, O. She was born in Carter county, Ky. and was 24 years of age. Burial took place at Soldier.

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SAVINGS CERTIFICATES.

Columbus, Ohio.—As an evidence of the increasing popularity of Treasury Savings Certificates with the general public, the Savings Division of the Fourth Federal Reserve District announces that the sales of these certificates for the seven months ending July 31 exceeded \$95,000,000, as compared with sales of less than \$20,000,000 during the same period of 1921. Sales during the month of July exceeded those during any previous month of the year. Of the \$95,000,000 sold, over 16 per cent were purchased by investors in the Fourth Federal Reserve District.

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Roy Melvin, 23, and Stella Robinson, 21, of Paintsville, married in Catlettsburg.

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DENTON MAN DIES.

Cecil Williams, former resident of Denton, died last Tuesday in Kansas of a stroke of paralysis. The remains were brought to Winchester for burial. He was aged 48 years and leaves a wife and two sisters. He is also survived by his mother. While at Denton Mr. Williams was in the employ of the Standard Oil Company, which was some twenty years ago.

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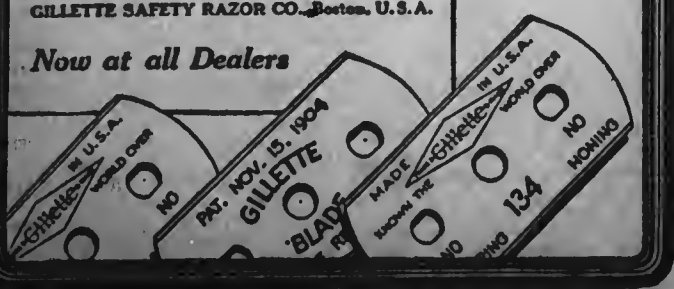
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DENNIS

Several from here have been attending the revival at Jattle. Rev. M. V. Berry preached an interesting sermon at Compton Sunday evening.

Cynthia Burchett of Morgan creek is in a serious condition. Little hope is held for her recovery.

Shade Chaffin is visiting his daughter, Miss Elva, of this place.

Haskell Thompson and Chester Webb were out motoring Saturday evening.

Lora Kitchen and Minnie Pennington were the guests of Roba Jobe Saturday evening.

Mrs. Flem Kitchen was calling on Mrs. John Compton Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lillie Cooksey and Mr. and Mrs. James Christian were at George Burchett's Saturday.

Sydney Swan, Dewey Jobe and Minnie Pennington were at Dennis Saturday evening.

Charles H. Estill, Leaningham and Ray and Roy Wright of Carter county are visiting relatives here.

Jake and Jim Kitchen called on Edna and Birdie Leaningham Sunday.

George McGuire was on our creek Saturday.

Nova Blankenship was the guest of Josephine Rice Friday night.

A. H. and Wayne Hughes of Kenova, W. Va., are expecting to visit here in the near future.

Dennis Pennington, James Kitchen, Herman Webb and Will Crabtree are working on the Mayo Trail.

We are glad to say uncle Andy Webb is improving from a severe case of pneumonia.

Mrs. Melinda Berry was the guest of Mrs. Angelina Pennington Sunday.

W. S. Pennington was in Louisa recently.

Three children of Jake Arrington and two children of John Compton, who have had diphtheria are improving.

John Cooksey of Kistler, W. Va., is expected home soon.

Charles Cooksey was on Morgan Saturday night.

Dr. Thompson passed up our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Compton was the guest of Mrs. Jane Cooksey.

Minnie Pennington was shopping at Cadmus Monday.

Willie Leaningham was a caller at Grayson recently.

Let us hear from Pine Hill and Hellstrasse again. DR. JACK.

LUCASVILLE, O.

Jennie Smith was calling on Thida Wiseman Sunday.

Thelma and Ina Smith were calling on Verna, Audrey and Dorothy Griffith Sunday.

John Jenkins was visiting J. N. Griffith recently.

Madge Griffith is expected home soon from Candy Run.

Bura Spencer was calling on Verna Griffith Sunday afternoon.

Frank Blakeman was calling on Mr. and Mrs. James N. Griffith Saturday morning.

Charley Shy, Rumble and Robert Wiseman were calling on Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffith were the afternoon guests of Mrs. Mary Jenkins recently.

John Smith was the Sunday guest of his father, Allen Smith at Waverly.

Let us hear from Blaine. A KENTUCKY GIRL.

IRISH CREEK

Our school at this place is progressing nicely.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Mills Diamond is improving.

Frank Young was a caller on Cherokee Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Bishop and Opal Young were the Sunday morning guests of Lula Young.

Victor Young attended church at the Gap Monday night.

Several from this place are expecting to attend church at Catt Sunday.

Henry Young is planning a trip to Florida soon for his health.

Charley Williams was the Sunday guest of Bert and Burns Young.

Everybody remember the foot washing at Chestnut Grove the first Sunday in September.

Mayo Young was on our creek recently.

Mrs. Felix Adams and little granddaughter were the over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Young Friday.

W. P. Caldwell was on Cherokee Sunday.

Sorry to hear of the death of the little child of Harve Lyons.

Remember church the first Sunday and Sunday school every Sunday at 2 o'clock.

JUST YOU AND I.

EVERGREEN

Sunday school every Sunday morning. Everybody come.

E. E. Hutchison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Thed O'Neal came down from Blaine and spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Patton and Mrs. Lee Damron spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Corlida Bussey.

Miss Bonnie Patton spent Sunday with Miss Hazel Carler.

Charley Adams attended Sunday school at this place Sunday.

Archie Martin left Friday for Columbus, Ohio.

John Damron is expected home from Blaine soon where he has been at work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gussler left Sunday for Huntington where they will visit their son, John Lee Gussler.

Mrs. Elbert Franklin is very sick at this writing.

School is progressing nicely at this place.

Miss Laura Belle Damron has returned home after a few days visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gussler of Ellen.

JUST ME.

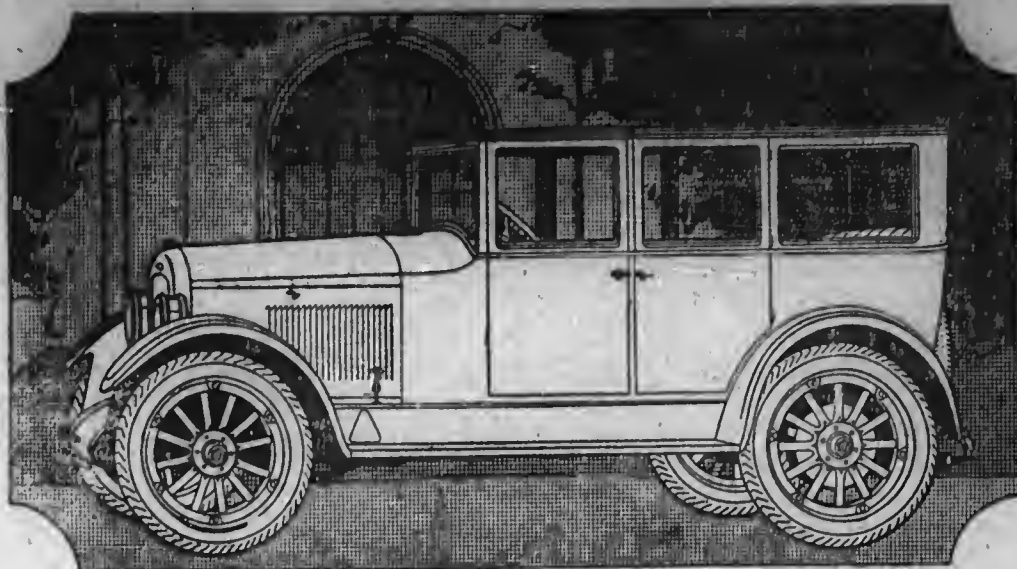
BOARD HONORS MEMORY OF JUDGE JOHN F. HAGER

The new city school at Ashland will be named the "John F. Hager School" in honor of Judge John F. Hager. It was announced by a member of the board of education. The board has as yet not decided upon the name for the South Ashland building.

The cornerstone will contain the names of the building and also the names of the members of the board of education and architect who designed the school. The date for laying these has not been considered.

The board of education has for some weeks been considering naming one of the schools for the widely known Judge Hager, a name suggested by several members of the board in recognition of his remarkable interest in educational affairs.

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TUSCOLA

School is progressing nicely here. Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Jordan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rucker.

Thomas Howell, Misses Joyce Miller and Ella B. Shortridge of Trinity motored to our town Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alberta Jordan spent Sunday with Miss Beulah Caudill of Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Fields, Winn A. Fields and Eddie Mullady of Catlettsburg and Miss Garnet Jordan of this place were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ford of Glenwood.

Arthur J. Queen of Glenwood makes frequent trips to S. W. Graham's.

Miss Hazel Graham was the guest Tuesday night of Miss Garnet Jordan.

Webb Roberts of Cadmus called here Wednesday evening.

George C. Owen and mother, Mrs. Heaster Owen motored to Catlettsburg Thursday and were guests of H. C. Owen and family.

Frank Atkins of Columbus, O., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jordan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weinack and baby of Portsmouth, O., were guests Sunday night of relatives here.

Zeal Buck Woods of Grayson is here for a few days visit.

Several from and around Tuscola are attending the fair and Home Coming Week at Louisa. NIX.

JEAN

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Wilson, who have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Rose E. Woods, have returned to their home at Louisa.

Misses Hattie and Opal Adkins and Delphia Jordan called on friends at Irish creek Sunday.

Mrs. Newt, Phyllis and Mrs. Stephen Boggs and family were the dinner guests of Mrs. Lee Perkins Sunday.

Fred Kitchen of Orr was calling at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Jno. W. Boggs and Miss Mary Perkins of Orr spent Saturday night with Mrs. Rose E. Woods and daughter.

Mrs. Lee Perkins and Mrs. Charley Perkins were calling on Mrs. Ray Woods Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Kitchen of Orr were the dinner guests of Miss Frank Webb Sunday.

Wade Flemming was on our creek Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Perkins was the pleasant guest of Miss Irene Woods Saturday afternoon.

Miss Betty E. Caldwell was a business caller at Webbville Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woods, a fine girl.

Remember the sacrament meeting here the first Sunday in September. Everybody come.

Mr. Jacob Sander, of Waynesburg, of apoplexy, which caused complete paralysis of the right side of his body our town, was buried in the village cemetery at his home. He was stricken suddenly on August 4 by a stroke the father of eight children.

Henry Takes an Open-face Ride



While the press was busy telling of Ford's new plan to make automobiles in Mexico, Henry was up in Quebec, Canada, with his wife riding around in one of those old open-faced hacks known as a "calchees." It was a pleasure trip.

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Among the innovations presented in the new Big-Six Speedster is the upholstered arm rest which is a feature of the rear seat design and which provides the ease and comfort of an over-stuffed arm chair.

The new model is priced at \$1985, f. o. b. Detroit, and at this price it includes a number of features which are either exclusive or are to be obtained in only the highest priced cars. Among these are the courtesy light on the driver's side, front and rear bumpers and the travel trunk at the rear which is easy of access because the two extra disc wheels (including tires and tubes) are mounted on the front fenders and therefore are out of the way.

Because of its long, sweeping lines, the many extra appointments and the quality throughout, the new Speedster gives the impression of being a much more expensive car than it really is.

Further touches of beauty and completeness are the massive head-lights, with artistic cowl lamps and tall lamp, tonneau light with extension cord; clear-vision, one-piece windshield; windshield wipers; jeweled eight-day clock; cowl ventilator; built-in, theft-proof transmission lock which is operated by the same key that locks the ignition switch and the tool compartment in the left front door.



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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress—W. J. Fields.

The Big Sandy News is very much gratified over the success of the celebration in Louisville this week. The Home Coming feature is working out most happily. The county fair is just starting as we go to press and it promises to be equally successful.

The Big Sandy News completes its 37th year with this issue. The senior editor was one of the proprietors when the paper started. The junior member of the firm came into the office as early in life as possible. We are celebrating along with everybody else this week.

The Ashland Daily Independent has been very liberal in its treatment of Lawrence county's celebration this week and the committee desires that we thus acknowledge our appreciation. The Independent is serving the Big Sandy valley loyally and is gradually growing up this way in favor and circulation.

The following is from the daily press:

"The attitude of the brotherhood chiefs was expressed by T. C. Cashen, president of the Switchmen's Union of North America. 'We are not so sorry for the strikers,' said he, 'as we are for the American public. They are going to be the sufferers—more and more as the strike is prolonged.'"

This is exactly true, as we often have said. The public is the sufferer. It is a case of 95 per cent of innocent people being punished by five per cent. The railroads are recognized in the statutes as public service corporations. The fabric of the business of the United States is built and sustained by its railroad system. No factory or enterprise or undertaking of an importance is ever located without railroad facilities. The life and prosperity of the country is dependent upon keeping the railroads going, as much so as the life of the body is dependent upon the circulation of blood through its arterial system. Long ago the legislative bodies took out of the hands of private capital the control of traffic rates and has followed this up with control of detail until now the railroad management can not make a train schedule without sending it to Washington first for approval.

The railroad business is different from any other in its relation to the people. The next step that comes must be the prevention of interference with full train service. The public is entitled to this protection. Some other way must be found to settle differences.

VISITS OLD HOME.

Mr. Leo Frank departed last week on a most interesting journey to his old home in Louisville, Lawrence county, Kentucky. Lawrence county is celebrating the centennial of its establishment by the Kentucky legislature with gala events and a home coming week. Invitations were sent out all over the United States to former residents to gather for the occasion. Mr. Frank will be busy exchanging reminiscences with scores of his old neighbors. He will also meet his son, Mr. Fred Frank of Kentucky.

Mr. Frank attended the Jewellers convention in New Orleans before leaving for Kentucky. He also visited a sister in Portsmouth, O., before his arrival in Louisville, Lawrence county. Coast Herald, Jeannette, La.

County Election Commissions Named

County election commissioners have been appointed for every county in the state by the State Board of Election Commissioners. They will serve thru the gubernatorial primary election of 1923.

A. O. Carter and C. F. See, Jr., were appointed for Lawrence county; C. C. Bryon and J. W. Mayo, Boyd county; J. L. Sowards and J. T. Lawson, Greenup; S. V. Shivel and R. M. Bagby, Carter; J. F. White and A. T. Redwine, Elliott; R. M. Fields and French Hank, Letcher; R. C. Kirk and J. C. Newberry, Martin; S. M. Chandler and J. F. Howes, Johnson; H. H. Smith and J. B. Smith, Knott; H. J. Cain and D. F. Holbrook, Magoffin; Smith Nichols and J. S. Carter, Morgan; B. A. Ratliff and A. S. Ratliff.

Mrs. Annie Shaaks Borune, who was Democratic Commissioner for Henry county last year, was reappointed. She is the only woman Election Commissioner in the state and the only woman ever appointed to this post in Kentucky.

Lawrence-Boyd Junior Agricultural Clubs

The meeting was held last week just above Louisville. 43 club members were enrolled from Lawrence county and 24 from Boyd.

Star Campers were as follows: Minnie Moore, Edith Cheep, William Yates, Alice Iderton, Willie Taylor, Lucile Roberts, Pauline Cyrus, Mary B. Sweetman, Delbert Burton, Paul Vanover, Herman Hackworth, Lena Davis, Jack Atkins, Harry Reynolds, Regula Hussey, Nancy O'Brien, George Stewart. Medal campers were Wm. Yates, Alice Iderton and Paul Vanover. The following were classed as standard athletes: Paul Vanover, 49 points; George McClure, 41; but the medal went to Bill Yates with 43 points.

A more extended article is omitted from this week's issue on account of lack of space.

WINNERS IN CONTEST.

Nell Plummer of this place was one of the successful contestants in the Ashland Independent's subscription contest which ended a few days ago. He won a victrola. Jas. Chapman of Ashland, son of N. B. Chapman, stood next, receiving a radio outfit.

Charles Grote of Vanceburg was in Louisville Friday on his way to Pikeville where he will be connected with the Pike County News, his father having bought half interest in the paper. They are also proprietors of the Vanceburg Sun, a very enterprising paper.

SALE OF FARM.

Pursuant to order of Greenup Circuit Court for re-investment of proceeds, the farm known as a part of the original "J. L. Worling Farm," situated at Grays Branch, near Mackey Post Office, Greenup county, Kentucky, will be sold at Master Commissioner's sale at the court house door in Greenup, Kentucky, between twelve and one o'clock on Monday, September 14, 1922.

The farm, now occupied by T. N. Biggs, Jr., is situated on main line of Cincinnati division of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, Grays Branch station and spur track on place, is considered prize farm. Location favorable to good markets, being 9 1/2 miles from Portsmouth, O., five miles from Greenup, Ky., and Ironton, Ohio, and 20 miles to Ashland. Situated on main Ohio river road from Greenup to Portsmouth. River road from Ashland to Greenup being hard surfaced; \$200,000 county bond issue lately authorized, part of which will likely be used in completing river road towards Portsmouth. Present graded dirt road. Farm extends to Ohio river, with boat landing on place. Bottom land all tillable, hill land in pasture and some good timber. Four good houses on place, three large barns, 150 acres enclosed in hog fence. Three large apple orchards. School and church near dwelling. Entire tract, 391.21 acres, 171.49 acres bottom, and 219.72 acres hill. Sale will be to highest and best bidder, on credit of six and twelve months; sale subject to confirmation of Greenup Circuit Court. At A. V. POLLOCK, Master Commissioner Greenup Circuit Court.

Electric Line Nears Completion up Sandy

Pikeville, Ky., Aug. 25.—The \$8,000-volt line of the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company, between Sprigg, W. Va., and Betsy Layne, Ky., has been practically completed. This line will furnish power from the Sprigg and Logan plants to the Big Sandy coal fields.

A 44,089-volt distributing line is being built from Betsy Layne to Elk Horn City with branch lines up Shelby creek and Marrowbone. Another 44,000-volt line is being built down the river to furnish power to right and left Beaver creek.

The company is now working up an estimate for the continuance of this \$8,000-volt line from Betsy Layne to Hazard, where they already have a 16,000 K. W. plant which supplies power to 52 mines. This extension would tie all three plants to the company.

The company was fortunate in getting in enough material before the strike to enable it to continue its work and thus utilize the labor resulting from idleness of the mines and railroads. Their payroll for this section numbers 175 men.

'TIS HOME COMING WEEK.

Louisa, your children are coming To the old home nest once more. To bask in your smiles and sunshine. To feel once more your caress.

Some have wandered far from the home nest.

But always expect to return; From the Isles of the sea and from coast to coast.

They are coming back to thee.

For 'tis Home Coming Week we remember.

No other time will be so dear, To those who are longing for Home Sweet Home.

For wide will be the open door.

They are coming to sit by the fireside And talk of things long ago— Of joys and sorrows experienced, And the trials of life tide we know.

They are coming to bask in the sunshine Of happiness so good and pure, For they are longing to see you, and to know you again.

Will bring joy and gladness we're sure.

JUST JOE.

PROGRAMME

The Fallburg-Bear Creek S. S. Convention, Buchanan Chapel, September 9, 1922.

10:30—Devotional—Christian Education; Prov. 3, Rev. J. H. Cleveland.

11:00—The S. S. and the community—St. S. Bureau.

11:30—The Church School—W. J. Vaughan.

12:00—Appointment of committees and adjourn.

NOON

1:45—Devotional.

2:00—The Young People and the S. S.—W. H. Vaughan.

2:30—Report of District Secretary—Elizabeth Hatten.

2:45—Report of Superintendents.

3:00—The organized class—C. B. Wellman.

3:30—The Working School—W. J. Vaughan.

4:00—Report of committees and installation of officers.

Adjourn.

Will each school in the district send a full quota of delegates and help make this the best convention in the history of this district?

J. K. FULLER, President

ELIZABETH HATTEN, Sec.

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CATLETTSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Visit Here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Berry of Blaine have arrived in Ashland for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holbrook. They also will visit with Mrs. Berry's brother, Mr. Charles Holbrook, Rev. and Mrs. John Stambaugh of Charleston will join the party here. Afterwards in the Stambaugh car they will enjoy a delightful motor trip to Washington, New York and many other eastern cities.

Leader of Bible Class.

Attorney W. D. O'Neal, upon whom Mr. Glasgow's mantle falls—Mr. Glasgow leaving to him the leadership of the Men's Bible Class—was equal to the occasion in his splendid address.

To Go To Louisa.

Miss Edith Marcum is enjoying a two week's vacation from her duties of the Day and Night Bank, Ashland. She expects to go to Louisa to the "home coming." Louisa's centennial celebration.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. George Guannell very charmingly entertained at six o'clock dinner at her home on Oakland avenue. Covers were laid for the following relatives and friends: Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Thomas, parents of Mrs. Guannell, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ross and son, John, of Ironton; Misses Mattie and Ola Thomas, also of Ironton; Mrs. Ellen Cooper and daughter, Mildred, of California; Miss Lola Keen, Cincinnati, and Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge of Ashland. Three of these guests were sisters of B. F. Thomas and this reunion with the sisters was a very happy occasion for all.

Miss Yates Improved.

It is gratifying news to the many friends of Miss Amanda Yates, who has been indisposed at her home on Broadway, that she is able to walk out now for her daily exercise. Miss Yates is one of our most loved elderly women.

Robt. Owens Cassell.

It is hard to tell who is stepping higher today—Carl Cassell or Col. Robert Owens.

Yesterday morning a fine son, the first-born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cassell arrived at their home on Lock avenue. He has been named for Col. Robert Owens, a close friend of Mr. and Mrs. Cassell. Mr. Owens is very proud of the honor bestowed upon him.

Go To Family Reunion.

Henry and P. L. Cline left to spend the week-end with their mother, Mrs. C. C. Cline at Prestonsburg. There are seven children in this family and today these grown-up children, with their wives and children will gather at the Cline home for one of mother's good dinners.

Enroute To Louisa.

Mrs. Cora Abbott McGrath and daughter, Miss Frances Robertson of Washington, D. C., stopped in Catlettsburg Saturday to visit relatives. They were enroute to Louisa for the home coming celebration. Mrs. McGrath and her sister, Mrs. Josephine Rice, who visited here as girls (the Misses Abbott) will be pleasantly remembered by friends in our city.

Will Go To Louisa For Home Coming.

Mrs. Wm. Andrews, formerly a resident of Ashland now of Winchester, was here the guest of Mrs. George Calvin of Lexington avenue. On Monday Mrs. Calvin and Mrs. Andrews went to Louisa where they will visit

Visit Our Store

DOLLAR DAY

Thursday, Sept. 7th

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

On Third Avenue Huntington, W. Va.

WHITESBURG

Polly Isen Acquitted.

Mrs. Polly Isen, who has been confined in the county jail for some time, charged with the murder of Joe Akemon, was acquitted of the charge Tuesday. The jury was out only 15 minutes before reaching a verdict. The case of the Commonwealth against Miss Ethel Pass, who is charged with killing her father, was continued until the next term of court. She was allowed bond in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Curtis Jent, who is charged with having killed Richard Smith last spring and who has been in the Hazard jail for safekeeping jumped from the train near Hickey and made his escape last night. He was being brought here for trial. He was in charge of deputy sheriff, Henry Brown and it seems that he managed to slip the handcuffs and jumped from the window of the moving train.

Miss Lucretia Cassidy has returned from her vacation and is again ready for millinery business.—Whitesburg Leader.

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See us at once for full particulars.

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All Ready But The Horses



BIG SANDY NEWS

Friday, September 1, 1922.

Local Happenings

Ask Prof. Benard of the Cardinals.
A tutor who tooted the flute
Tried to teach two young tooters
to toot.

Said the two to the tutor
Is it harder to toot, or
To tutor two tooters to toot.

Work in the mines opened at Offutt
on Wednesday of this week.

Prof. and Mrs. I. A. Saucier have
moved into the Mounts property on
Lock avenue.

Cecil Mullins was here last Thurs-
day on his way to Akron, O., where
he is employed.

C. H. Bromley has been appointed
chairman of the Near East Relief work
for Lawrence county.

FOR SALE—6-room house in Cen-
tral Addition, Louisa. Lot 50x100. Ap-
ply to MRS. T. R. GILLSHIE. 2t

Marriage license was issued August
31st to Ben H. Church, 29, of Adeline,
and Bertha M. Carter, 23, of Yates-
ville.

On Sunday afternoon at two o'clock
J. K. Jordan and wife were baptized
by Rev. H. H. Hewlett at the river
grade. They were received into the
church some time ago by Rev. Bell.

J. C. Pison came down Monday
from Williamson, W. Va., to Home
Coming. He formerly lived near Lou-
isa but has been in Williamson several
years.

Rev. Hugh Workman and wife, for-
merly of Wayne, now of West Hunt-
ington, W. Va., were guests Monday of
A. Snyder and family. They had not
been here in 25 years.

FOR SALE—A number of houses
and lots. Some in the upper part and
some in the lower part of Louisa, rated
from \$1500 to \$7500. For prices and
terms see H. E. HURGHES, Louisa,
Ky. 8-18-1f

J. M. Bolt of Huntington was a vi-
sitor here on Monday. His wife was
Miss Dalton, formerly of Potter. His
mother, Mrs. I. M. Bolt of Rush lived
in Lawrence county before moving to
Boyd.

C. L. Hawkins and family have re-
turned to Van Lear. Their new resi-
dence on Lock avenue is being oc-
cupied by T. J. Phillips and family
who moved this week from Robinson
creek, Pike county.

R. C. Jackson of Greenup was here
Thursday. He was born in Louisa in
1852. He moved to Boyd county where
he lived a number of years and has
been at Greenup the past few years.
His son and daughter, Naaman Jack-
son of Logan and Miss Lora, a teach-
er in the Charleston high school at-
tended school here and were teachers
in this county.

NOTICE!

All ticket purchasers are
requested to hold their tick-
ets thirty days after Sept. 3
until the auditing committee
has had time to settle up the
affairs of the centennial as-
sociation.

—Executive Committee.

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isa and vicinity in the best
possible way with what the
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Personal

Wm. Deaa came over from Ironton,
Ohio, Thursday.

Mrs. John Harvey of Williamson, W.
Va., is visiting here.

Jasper Evans of Martha was a vi-
sitor in Louisa Monday.

M. C. Webb of Cherokee transacted
business here Friday.

Miss Lucille Ferguson of Wayne is
visiting Louisa friends.

Mrs. R. H. Ragland of Parkersburg
is the guest of Mrs. I. W. See.

Miss Agnes Clay of Catlettsburg is
the guest of Miss Martha Yates.

Mrs. Fuller, of Cleveland, Ohio, is
the guest of Col. Northup and family.

Frank Crutcher and wife of Penna-
cola, Pa., are here during home com-
ing.

M. S. Burns and daughter, Miss Kiz-
zie have returned from Waukesha,
Wis.

Misses Willie and Julia Hurgess left
last Friday for Richmond to attend
school.

David Matson of Rennoke, Va., was
in Louisa Saturday and left for Char-
leston, W. Va.

Miss Elsie Walkenshaw of Caldwell,
Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. Edgar Mc-
Clure at Torchlight.

Miss Verne Taylor came down from
Kerrit, W. Va., Monday for a visit to
Miss Virginia Stringfellow.

Mrs. J. L. Carey and daughter, Cath-
arine, returned from Lexington after
spending a few days there.

Mrs. Cora Mays and daughter, Ed-
na Richard, of Catlettsburg were vi-
siting Mrs. Cora Plummer last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Franklin has gone to
P. Pleasant, W. Va., for a visit of two
weeks, when she will return to Lou-
isa.

Miss May Saamons has returned
from New York City where she at-
tended Columbia University several
weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patton of Cat-
lettsburg drove up and were guests
Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D.
Wallace.

Miss Kate Freese is expected home
Friday from West Virginia where she
was in charge of the music at a teach-
ers institute.

Northup Wood motored to Hunting-
ton, W. Va., a few days ago accom-
panied by Mrs. J. M. Turner and Miss
Hermia Northup.

Mrs. Virginia Burchett McKinnon is
here for the week. She lives in East
Liverpool, Ohio, and had not been
here for 18 years.

Mrs. Sula Watts and two sons of
Barbourville, W. Va., are guests of
Mrs. A. C. Ferrell and Mrs. Lize Wil-
lamson, on Route 2.

Prof. N. Q. Gilmer returned Satur-
day from his home at Toccoola, Miss.
where he spent his vacation. He is one
of the teachers in the Louisa High
School.

Mrs. F. K. Green and children and
Mrs. Bert Shannon and children went
to Lockwood Thursday and spent the
day with Mrs. Lucy Lockwood and
Mrs. Wheeler.

Luther M. Walter of Chicago arrived
Monday morning. He was met
here by his mother, Mrs. M. M. Wal-
ter, of Blaine. He accompanied her
home for a few days' visit.

Alvin Parsons, of Louisville, who
had been away 16 years, came to Lou-
isa for the week. His daughter, Miss
Sarah, aged 14, accompanied him. They
were guests of relatives here.

Mrs. H. C. Corns came up from
Ironton, Ohio, for a two weeks visit
to her mother, Mrs. Lida R. Lackey.
Mr. Corns was also here Thursday of
last week.

Miss Keene, of Cincinnati, who is
visiting Mrs. G. F. Ginnell in Catletts-
burg drove up with Mr. and Mrs. Ginnell
and spent Tuesday here. Also, Mrs.
Elizabeth Eldridge accompanied them.

A. B. Ayers, president of the Union
Gas & Oil Company was in Louisa
this week helping to celebrate Home
Coming Week.

J. B. Cartmel came down from Drift
to attend Home Coming. His wife and
two children accompanied him. He is
a native of this county.

VISITORS WHO
REGISTERED THE
FIRST THREE DAYS

The official register shows the fol-
lowing names for the first three days
of the Centennial. Unfortunately, all
visitors are not registering.

W. B. McClure, Lexington.
J. W. M. Stewart, Ashland.
Leo Frank, Jeanette, La.
Jas. Layne, Sr., Covington.
Jno. P. Gartin, Ashland.
Jas. O. Marcum, Ceredo, W. Va.
J. R. Kennedy and wife, Wayland.
Mary Hurbett Rateliff, Huntington.
John F. Rateliff, Huntington.
Samuel M. Freese, Wheeling, W. Va.
Morton Freese, Wheeling, W. Va.
Brig H. Harris and wife, Ashland.
Elvin E. Parsons and daughter, Lou-
isville.

F. G. Moore, Cincinnati.
W. S. Norris, Fullerton.

Mrs. John Gartin, Ashland.
D. J. Burchett, Mt. Sterling.

Carrie Rice Hays, Mt. Vernon, O.
Mrs. J. B. Millard, Bloomington, O.
Mrs. Emma Moore, Mattle.

Mrs. Reba Lackey Coras, Hunting-
ton.

Mrs. Emma Wallace Jolliff and child
Weston, W. Va.

Mrs. Cora Abbott McGrath, Wash-
ington, D. C.

John Woods and family, Cyrus, W.
Va.

W. M. Bevins, Denver, O.
C. P. Bevins, Beaver, Ohio.

Wray Bevins, Beaver, Ohio.
J. B. McClure, two children, Omar,
W. Va.

Mrs. Bettie M. Hagg, Husseyville.
Mrs. Hester H. Grubb, Ellen.

H. W. Bussey, Jr., Busseyville.
R. T. Berry, Blaine.

Roscoe Wellman, Oak Hill, O.
J. S. Billups, Chillicothe, O.

G. F. Gallup, Catlettsburg.
Arthur Baraelt, Logan, W. Va.

Nina Howland, Huntington.
Mellie B. Skeene, Huntington.

Elizabeth B. McAlpin, Glenwood, W.
Va.

J. M. Bromley, Huntington.
Mrs. C. M. Dixon, Charleston.

Emma K. Dixon, Charleston.
Ruehnel Johnson Payne, Frankfort.

Mrs. Eugene Webb, Huntington.
Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Meek, Hunting-
ton.

Jay A. Vinson, Garrett.
C. H. Smith, Catlettsburg.

C. E. Hensley and wife, Catlettsburg.
John M. Rice, Frankfort.

Eugene C. Rice, Frankfort.
Mrs. Geo. B. Roberts, two children,
Lexington.

E. F. Thomas, Ironton, O.
Myrtle C. Franklin, Dayton, Ky.

Virginia B. McKinnon, East Liver-
pool.

Ethel O'Brien Greene, Rainelle, W.
Va.

Ruth C. Childers, Fort Gay.
Mary B. Childers, Dan, W. Va.

W. E. Houston and wife, Charleston.
Lindsey T. Vinson, Huntington.

Mrs. L. T. Vinson, Huntington.
Mrs. J. A. Hughes, Huntington.

Edith Marcum, Catlettsburg.
Ada R. Thomas, Catlettsburg.

Ida R. McConnell, Catlettsburg.
Chas. McCrowell, Toledo, O.

Frances Crowell, Toledo, O.
Frances J. Robertson, Washington,
D. C.

Winfred Hayes, Mt. Vernon, O.
Elizabeth B. Johnson, Frankfort.

Thurman B. Williamson, Memphis,
Tenn.

James Caperton, Welch, W. Va.
Harry Castle, Manco.

Major Thompson, Pedro, O.
W. G. Whitt and wife, Russell.

J. B. Thompson, Husseyville.
Elwood Hutchinson, Busseyville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, Ashland.
Wiley G. Prater, Floyd county.

Dr. H. T. Elam, Columbus, O.
W. H. Boling and wife, Powellton,
W. Va.

M. F. Meek, Williamson.
Clyde E. Meek, Bellflower, Calif.

John Chapman, Taft, Fla.
Melvin F. Meek, Williamson, W. Va.

Mate Moore Farley, Holden, W. Va.
Otto C. Gartin, Ashland.

Jay O'Daniel, Louisville.
Dan Davenport, Catlettsburg.

L. H. Hutchinson, Huntington.
C. M. Crutcher, Huntington.

It. S. Billups, Washington, D. C.
Sam Dock Smith and wife, Hunt-
ington.

Geo. N. Waldeck, Huntington.
C. Y. Abbott, Jenkins.

John C. Burchett, Williamson.
A. W. Preston, Dickson, W. Va.

W. W. Lyon, Lucasville, O.
Cornelia B. Shannon, Dickson, W. Va.

Rev. and Mrs. John B. Horton, Eliz-
abeth, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Meade, Ashland.
Jean R. Crutcher, Huntington.

Dana O'Neal's three children, Cat-
lettsburg.

Jean Spencer O'Neal, Catlettsburg.
Mrs. Willie Frazier Morris, 2 chil-
dren, Gary, Ind.

G. F. Ginnell, Catlettsburg.
Heloise Thomas Ginnell, daughter,
Catlettsburg.

Sinn C. Johnson, Vaneeburg.
Minnie Reynolds Bromley, 2 chil-
dren, Huntington.

J. B. McClure, 3 children, Omar, W.
Va.

Bert Shannon, 3 children, Red Jack-
et, W. Va.

Lida O'Brien Shannon, Red Jacket,
W. Va.

J. J. Johnson, Jenkins.
Jock Carey Johnson, Jenkins.

Mrs. Jennie Roffe, Catlettsburg.
Wm. Holt and wife, Ceredo, W. Va.

Dr. Fred Marcum, Ceredo, W. Va.
Ida Holt Marcum, Ceredo, W. Va.

T. B. McClure, Wayne.
Alice McClure, Wayne.

H. R. Alexander and wife, Hunting-
ton.

C. J. Carey, Lynch.
Allie Abbott Carey, Lynch.
Jean McClure Crawford, Portsmouth.
Mary Isaacs Kestep, Uality.
W. T. Woods, Vessie.
Helen Carter Woods, son Billy, Ves-
sie.

Emma Northup Turner, three chil-
dren Winchester.
Andrew and Francis McClure, Omar,
West Va.

Jim S. Billups, Chillicothe, O.
R. S. Billups, Washington, D. C.

Melva Gartin Funk, Chicago, Ill.
Pauline Funk, Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Jennie Conley, Leesburg, Fla.
Dr. Geo. T. Conley, 3 children, Wil-
lamson.

Martha Vaughan Conley, William-
son.

Mike Conley, Holden, W. Va.
Wm. Conley, Williamson.

John T. Jones, Normal.
Nancy A. Jones, Pedro, O.

W. J. Crutcher, Holden, W. Va.
Jettie Crutcher, Holden.

Julian Crutcher, Holden.
Elsie Walkenshaw, Caldwell, Ohio.

Mary Elizabeth Hatcher, Ashland.
Imogene Hatcher, Ashland.

Vessie Hatcher, Ashland.
Emma Prichard Andrews, Winches-
ter.

Mrs. Jenkie Prichard Calvia, Ash-
land.

J. A. H. Barrett, Barhousville, W.
Va.

Mrs. Mary Lou Vaughan, Catletts-
burg.

Lon Hutchinson, Huntington.
Mrs. M. J. Kinner, Buchanan.

Ethel Spencer Cook, 2 children,
Huntington.

Mrs. Fannale Honaker, Catlettsburg.
A. B. Ayers, Martha.

Hildegard Hoffe Scholze, Catletts-
burg.

Virginia Scholze, Catlettsburg.
J. W. M. Stewart, Ashland.

Nelson Sparks, Martha.
M. E. Sparks and wife, Martha.

Dr. O. E. Lyons, Huntington.
R. A. Bickel and wife, Huntington.

Hildegard Bickel, Huntington.
Robert Bickel, Huntington.

J. U. Jolliff, Weston, W. Va.
Kate McHenry Curnutte, Ashland.

Mrs. Sophia H. Mason, Catlettsburg.
Mrs. W. L. Ferguson and daughter,
Huntington.

Glady Atkins Peterson and baby,
Huntington.

Eva Wellman Mordica, 2 daughters,
Pikeville.

M. F. Castle, Peach Orchard.
Robt. Spencer, Kerrit, W. Va.

Kizzie See, Jenkins.
Fred D. Marcum, Ceredo.

Dr. J. A. Prichard and wife, Buch-
anan.

M. C. Prichard, Buchanan.
Hubert J. Prichard, Caldwell.

Elsie B. Walkenshaw, Torchlight.
Mrs. E. E. McClure, Torchlight.

John F. Hager, Ashland.
Mrs. Ida Marcum, Ceredo.

Mrs. Virginia M. Wright, Ceredo.
A. H. Hickman, Ashland.

L. T. Patton, Catlettsburg.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patton, Catletts-
burg.

John J. Jordan, Huntington.
J. Fred Frank, Ashland.

Wm. H. Billups, Huntington.
Jas. W. Hicks and wife, Huntington.

C. T. Vaughan and wife, Kenova.
U. G. McClure and wife, Charleston.

Phaba G. McClure, Charleston.
Robt. G. McClure, Charleston.

Manan McClure, Charleston.
Jane G. McClure, Charleston.

Wm. A. Holt, Ceredo.
Eunice Holt, Ceredo.

Rebecca Wellman, Catlettsburg.
Mrs. S. W. Patton, Catlettsburg.

Mrs. Ellen Hearn, Catlettsburg.
Mrs. Ida Creighton, Catlettsburg.

John P. Creighton, Catlettsburg.
J. W. Jackson, Barbourville.

P. S. Marcum and wife, Catlettsburg
W. S. Burris, Huntington.

B. E. Adams, Ashland.
Jas. G. Meek, Ashland.

Charley Jones, Ironton.
Ella Jones, Ironton.

J. F. Reynolds, Mt. Sterling.
A. Elkins, Portsmouth.

Katherine Elkins, Portsmouth.
S. B. Cox, Rose Siding, W. Va.

Dr. H. T. Morris, Greenup.
R. C. Jackson, Greenup.

Elwood Kinner, Greenup.
Fred Kinner, Kinner.

Neva Stewart Campbell, Hunting-
ton.

Chas. Stewart Campbell, Hunting-
ton.

J. Ned Bryan, wife and children,
Huntington.

S. B. Peters and wife, Kenova.

FT. GAY FARM
FESTIVAL 25TH

The K. P. lodge of Fort Gay is go-
ing forward with its plans for the big
time they are arranging for the pub-
lic from Sept. 25 to 30th.

There will be an interesting pro-
gram and many prizes given away,
including a Ford and a Jewett auto-
mobile. A great time is expected.
L. L. Lyeon is collecting names of
friends at a distance.

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State Coal Ordered
To Aid North's Cities

Washington.—A large number of authorizations for coal to be shipped from Kentucky and West Virginia districts to gas and electric light public utilities and ice plants in Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Virginia and Ohio, and to canneries in Indiana and Michigan have been made by the Federal Fuel Distribution Committee, it was said.

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LOST:—Long leg beagle hound August 2. Plain leather collar, large spot in side, blackish brown, spot at root of tail, head and ears orange color, ears slightly mingled in white, small diamond spot in top of head. Return to DR. R. C. MOORE, Louisa, Ky. 2t.

For Rent

FOR RENT:—Three rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Flem McHenry.

FOR RENT:—One 5-room cottage on Lock avenue. \$15.00 per month. C. J. CARTER.

FOR RENT:—Three rooms for offices. Apply to Dr. T. D. Burgess. 6-30-1f

FOR RENT:—A five room cottage. Apply at Louisa National Bank.

For Sale

FOR SALE:—Five room cottage practically new. Lot 41x110. Price just right. Located Adams street, Callahan addition, Louisa, Ky. C. E. WINGO. 9-1-2mo.

FOR SALE:—Good six room cottage with lot 45x300. Good well, cellar and some fruit. The house is in the pink of condition and will be sold cheap. For price and terms see E. T. WESTLAKE at the Big Sandy News office.

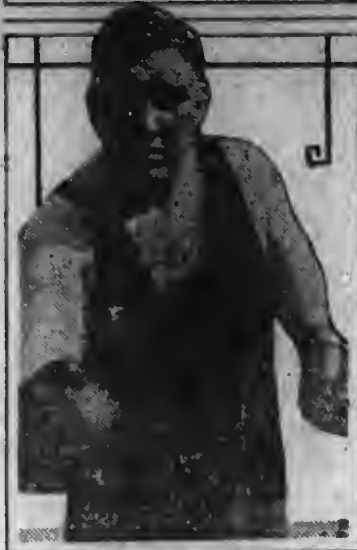
Real Estate

FOR SALE:—40 farms in Scioto, Pike and Jackson counties. All sizes. Prices and terms reasonable. Wm. T. BENNETT, Minford, Ohio. 9-24-pd

FARM FOR SALE:—100 acres, two miles from Louisa, close to the Mayo Trail now being built. Excellent eight room residence. About 15 acres bottom. Large barn. Apply to CONLEY & BURGESS, Louisa, Ky. 1f

JESS WILLARD

Going to fight though fat and forty.



Former champ Jess Willard is going to get his chance this fall to regain the crown he lost to Jack Dempsey at Toledo three years ago. Tex Richard is going to stage the bout at Jersey City. Jess in training at Los Angeles looks all of fat and forty—as shown here.

ULYSSES

Next Sunday will be our sacrament meeting time at Walnut Grove. Uncle Dave Burton is no better at this writing.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borders is improving.

Several from this place are attending the fair at Louisa this week.

Miss Eliza May Davis, who spent the week with her friend Mrs. McKinley Borders of Patrick, returned home Saturday.

Master Otto Young, little son of Monroe Young, is very much better. Miss Mary Austin spent Sunday with Miss Gertrude Chapman of Georges creek.

Miss Eliza and Carmel Davis, Hazel and Pauline Preston were the pleasant dinner guests of Tobie Chandler Sunday.

Several from this place attended church at Belle chapel Sunday.

Oakley and McKinley Sparks and Mr. Phillips motored up our creek from Portsmouth, O. enroute to their home at Van Lear and Paintsville Friday.

Mrs. Emmett Preston and Miss Mabel and Martha Preston of Patrick visited relatives at this place Sunday.

Miss Carmie and Eliza Davis leave for Louisa Wednesday to attend the fair.

Miss Ogle and Oate Kazee are visiting at Louisa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley Borders and little daughter have moved to Matewan, W. Va.

Our schools at Ulysses are progressing very nicely with Miss Lois Stringfellow and John H. Nichol, teachers.

Homer George attended church at Lowmansville Sunday.

Alton Davis, who has employment at Ashland was home recently.

Miss Ollie Davis attended the speaking at Licklog Sunday.

Miss Mag and Jennie Webb attended Sunday school at Belle's chapel Sunday.

Misses Okie Wray Davis and Georgia Miller spent Saturday night with Miss Mary Davis.

Miss Georgia Miller contemplates a visit to Portsmouth, O. soon.

There are several cases of diphtheria in and around our neighborhood.

Mrs. N. A. George spent Friday with Mrs. Liss Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Preston and children of Georges creek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Austin Sunday week.

Let us hear from East Point.

KENTUCKY BLONDE.

GLENHAYES, W. VA.

Crops are looking fairly well in this vicinity.

Carrie and Jaunita Vinson were calling on Ollie and Perl Thompson.

Elka Vinson makes regular trips to Freelin Thompson's.

Mrs. May James was visiting Donithon relatives Saturday nad Sunday.

Mrs. Lon Austin of Chattaroy was visiting her brother Sam Moore last week.

There was a party at Colonel Hardwick's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vinson were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Wellie Vinson Sunday.

Martio Artrip, who has been working at Williamson, was at J. H. Kirk's Sunday.

Oran Moore was visiting Mrs. Charley Thompson Sunday.

William James was calling at his uncle Geo. Hardwick's Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Moore has won the prize in the canning club. She has 10 gallons of peaches.

The death angel called at the home of Bill Harris and took his loving wife leaving three little children.

Sam Moore was a caller in Louisa Friday. LONELY WIDOW.

Uncle John's Josh

TOO MANY PEOPLE THINK

THE ROLL OF HONOR IS A

BANK ROLL



MATTIE

The ice cream festival at this place Saturday night was largely attended. Lon Arrington of Cordell motored down our creek Saturday enroute to Louisa.

Several from here are attending the fair at Louisa this week.

Jay Moore and son and Thos. Moore spent Sunday with T. T. Thompson and family of Blaine.

J. D. Hall and wife motored to Louisa one day last week.

McKinley Caudle came up from Ashland and is spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

Lotus and Blanch Jordan spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Vesale Jordan.

Jewell and Lizzie Ball spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Bertha Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Davis of Slip spent Thursday night with B. F. Moore and family.

Mrs. Florence Hays and daughter spent Saturday night with Mrs. Trinnie Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hays came out from Louisa Saturday and were the dinner guests of W. H. C. Moore and family.

Mrs. W. M. Sampich of Detroit is expected to visit her home folks here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Thompson, Mrs. Alva Short and children, Mrs. C. B. Moore, Mrs. Jay Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Vesale Jordan were Sunday guests of B. F. Moore and family.

T. W. Ball and wife and little daughter were dinner guests Sunday of A. T. Ball and family.

MRS. GRUNDY.

EAST POINT

Our school is progressing nicely with Mr. Charles G. Adams of Whitesburg as principal and Miss Alka Mae Webb of Van Lear assistant.

Edith, Malta, Willie, Irene and Charley Greer returned to the Masonic home at Louisville Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Music and Oliver Burgie have returned from Ironton, O., where they were called by the serious illness of Miss Irene Music.

Lon S. Moles of Prestonsburg was here Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier went to Ironton Monday to consult an eye specialist.

Miss Nancy and Georgia Presley, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. Moles, returned to their home at Youngstown, O. Sunday morning.

W. M. Crider recently purchased J. C. B. Auxier's stock of general merchandise. Consideration \$5000. Mr. Auxier is removing to Prestonsburg to take charge of the Hotel Elizabeth.

Little Miss Gertrude Crider is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Johnson spent the week-end at Jenkins the guests of relatives.

J. Moles and son were here Sunday.

Miss Mildred Music is visiting her cousin, Miss Ella Johnson at Hager Hill.

George Stambaugh of Tom's creek was here Saturday.

A large crowd was here for the foot washing and the basket meeting last Sunday. ARUAL.

GLENWOOD & TRINITY

Mrs. Paul Copley entertained a number of friends with a "corn roast" Monday night in honor of her guest Miss Pauline Davis of Ashland.

Mrs. Walter Hannah of Portsmouth, Ohio, spent the week-end with Miss Grace Belcher.

G. W. Handley has purchased a new Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Belcher, Mrs. W. H. Hannah, Mrs. C. N. Neal, Grace and Clifford Belcher attended the funeral of Mrs. Alice Blizard at Olive Hill Monday.

August French has returned from Berea where he attended summer school.

Miss Monnie Handley and Mrs. Paul Copley were shopping at Ashland recently.

Brad Walters, one of the foremen on the road, left Saturday for a new job. Chas. Fannin of Estep was calling here Sunday.

Miss Norma Taylor attended the party at Thornbury's Saturday night.

Miss Monnie Handley is attending the fair at Louisa. ALL BY MYSELF.

Frequent Headaches

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Kincer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent. I heard of

Thedford's

BLACK-DRAUGHT

and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

Thedford's Black-Draught (purely vegetable) has been found to relieve constipation, and by stimulating the action of the liver, when it is torpid, helps to drive many poisons out of your system. Biliousness, indigestion, headache, and similar troubles are often relieved in this way. It is the natural way. Be natural! Try Black-Draught.

Sold everywhere.

The new Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord

Discounting the "Discount" in Advance

You don't have to be a shrewd bargainer to get the bottom price on the new Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord. Instead of listing it at a high price, to enable the dealer to attract you with a so-called "long discount," we list it as low as we profitably can. You can see from the figures below that its advertised price is lower than the net price you are asked to pay for many "long discount" tires of unknown value. We believe the average man would rather buy tires on this frank and open basis, and assure himself a product of recognized worth. The new Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord is made of high-grade long-staple cotton, and it embodies the patented Goodyear method of group-ply construction. In design, materials and manufacture it is a representative Goodyear product, built to safeguard the world-wide Goodyear reputation. It has a different tread from the famous All-Weather Tread Cord—a new tread with a deep, clean-cut, cog-like pattern—and it sells for substantially less.

Compare these prices with NET prices you are asked to pay for "long discount" tires

30x 3 1/4 Clincher.....	\$12.50	32x 4 Straight Side..	\$24.50	33x 4 1/2 Straight Side..	\$32.15
30x 3 3/4 Straight Side..	13.50	33x 4 Straight Side..	25.25	34x 4 1/2 Straight Side..	32.95
32x 3 3/4 Straight Side..	19.25	34x 4 Straight Side..	25.90	33x 5 Straight Side..	39.10
31x 4 Straight Side..	22.20	32x 4 1/2 Straight Side..	31.45	35x 5 Straight Side..	41.05

These prices include manufacturer's excise tax
Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord Tires are also made in 6, 7 and 8 inch sizes for trucks

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Lawrence Auto Sales Co.
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GOOD YEAR

Punchettes

When you face the world and try to do something for the benefit of mankind, you are confronted with serious problems. How to solve them, how to eradicate the evils, and how to succeed in the work of general betterment is, of course, a great task. The following problems, if solved, would bring America peace, happiness, and prosperity. Let us solve them.

SOME PROBLEMS

FIRST—Apathy. America's people love good humor. Feed them well and permit them to sleep and they will laugh through any storm and ride through any disaster. Immediately after the disasters of life have apparently passed, however, they settle down into a state of apathy. That condition is today setting upon us.

During the war, we preached preparation, watchfulness, and the curbing of all radical forces. When peace was announced, we settled back into the habit of eating, sleeping, and laughing. The "red" forces didn't sleep; the powers antagonistic to good government didn't sleep. Apathy is the enemy of preparation. America has never been ready for any war, and unless we cure apathy, we will never be ready for any battle. Every boy in America should have at least three months of military training; every young man in America should take advantage of the Citizens' Training Camp every summer.

SECOND—Broken family altars. Ninety-three per cent of the homes of America are without family altars, and ninety-nine per cent of the homes of the world are without family altars. You cannot rear a family in an un-Godly atmosphere and give to the world virtuous sons and daughters. Millions of our people have passed through the infamous divorce court because the family altar was not in the home to check the march toward domestic destruction.

THIRD—Sabbath desecration. Men cannot ignore the law of God which commands every man to stand still and rest on the first day of the week. The Sabbath desecration which is on the increase in this country is largely responsible for the confusion, the chaos, and the anarchy that is rampant in this land. Bring men back to the observance of the Holy Sabbath.

FOURTH—Neglected spiritual duties. It is the duty of every man to be in his church pew every Sunday morning, to give his child a spiritual education, to set before his family a spiritual example and to give some of his time to the spiritual work of the church. Men are neglecting their churches; they are forgetting their spiritual duties; they are omitting to pay their obligations to God.

America was intended to be a land of Christian people. You can't be Christian and neglect your spiritual obligations.

poem by UNCLE JOHN

In summer evenin's, calm an' still, we used to hear the whippoor-will send forth his plaintive note; we heard the twitter of the frog—the baying of the old coon-dawg—the gruntin' of the shot. The glory of the summer night, when cricket's chirp an' skeeter's bite, lent spirit to the hour,—delightful in its warp an' woof, the rain-drops on the clapboard roof, grew dreamers full of power. . . . But now, alas! The modern war commences when we hit the hay, an' scorns the midnight bell. . . . We hear the squawks from Timbuctoo—the dismal groans from Waterloo,—the frenzied shrieks from hell! We gather in all noise that's made,—the devilish rot of every grade—broadcast through the air. . . . We tune our dingus up at night, and ketch the hymns of hate an' spite, that's let off—everywhere!

WIRELESS

I used to use a poultice hot, for all the innard pains I got—to draw 'em to the skin,—but I ain't got no keen desire fer rigs that draw without no wire, an' fetch hysterics in!

Yon Uncle John

HOMIE PHILOSOPHY for 1922

AUTOCASER

HALF of us don't begin to think before we're thirty-five. We just think we think. When we get to forty we're still fools but some of us know it. We have a right to expect twenty-three years of life. At forty-five we may expect to live twenty years, at fifty we can look forward to sixteen years and at fifty-five, thirteen years and the bell will ring if it don't ring before. Fancy a fellow having thirteen years to live taking time fault finding. He sleeps half the time. That cuts him down to six and a half years. Chop out holidays, Sundays, time for three a day and he's just got time to start what he hopes to finish. Come to think of it, some of us had better quit picking on the other fellow and get busy.

ON COUNTRY AMERICA'S DOLLARS

It is estimated Harold McCormick of Harvester Company, sliced fifteen million off fortune to wed opera singer.



FORMER MRS. MCCORMICK
Harold F. McCormick, until recently chairman of the Board of Directors of the International Harvester Company, is reported to have sacrificed fifteen million dollars of the fortune made off farm machinery to wed the woman of

HAROLD F. MCCORMICK

his choice, Gamma Waska, the widow-divorcee opera singer. McCormick gave up these dollars in a financial arrangement with his first

GAMMA WASKA MCCORMICK
wife, Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick; prenuptial settlement upon his present bride and the cost of two divorces, his own, and also his bride's from Alexander Smith Cochran.

PAINTSVILLE

W. H. Davis, store manager of the North East Coal Co., residing at The Alka, a away this week with his family on his vacation, visiting relatives and friends in Ohio and other points.

Doctors On Vacation.
Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Archer and children, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Sparks and sons left here Sunday in their automobiles for a two weeks trip to the East and Canada. They will drive first to New York City and then to other points.

Return From Springs.
Mr. and Mrs. Mack Preston returned from a trip to Olympia Springs and Cincinnati. They visited Swango Springs and a health resort near Cincinnati.

Newton Picklesimer.
Newton Picklesimer and wife are visiting his father, B. F. Picklesimer and other relatives in Ashland, Paintsville and Staffordville for the first time in seventeen years. At present they are with his sister, Mrs. Shanklin Mayer at Ashland.

Their home is in Elyria, Ohio, where he met his wife. She is a teacher in the Elyria city schools, while Mr. Picklesimer is conducting a very successful real estate business in Elyria.

Gambills Build.
Dr. H. H. and J. J. Gambill of Blaine have let the contract for the construction of their three-story brick residence to John Columbus of Paintsville who is a first-class mechanic. It will be of the English style with basement and up-to-date in all respects. It will cost thirty or forty thousand dollars.

Sandy Caldwell Dead.
The death of Sandy Caldwell occurred very unexpectedly on Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. He was opening an old coal bank and started inside to see how much work he would have to do before he would be ready to mine coal and was overcome by black damp in the mine and died instantly. He leaves a wife and one child.

Eastern Star Officers.
The Paintsville Chapter of the Eastern Star held their annual election of officers last week and elected the following officers:
Worthy Matron—Ora Rule Shannon.
Associate Matron—Edna Hager.
Worthy Patron—Fred Atkinson.
Secretary—Stella Atkinson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fanny Archer.
Conduetress—Exer Robinson.
Associate—Hattie Buskirk.

Rice & Coffee, Grocers.
Rice and Coffee are always to be found in the grocery business. Paintsville has two progressive grocers here.

One is the Rice and the other is the Coffee end of the business. A few months ago Link Rice decided to sell out his business and quit. He sold to Wright and Coffee. Now Mr. Rice has purchased the interest of James Wright in the business and is a partner with Ballard Coffee who will operate under the firm name of Rice & Coffee.

Local and Personal.

Miss Malta Reed of Auxler will begin teaching at Van Lear Junction soon. Miss Reed has for some time been a student at Berea.

Miss Lou Ford will be the new teacher at Auxler. She is taking the place of Miss Harris.

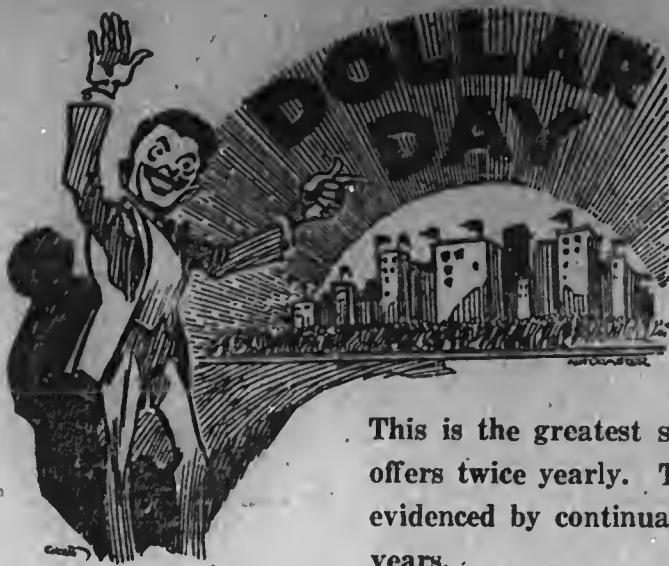
Miss Alka Webb, who is teaching at East Point spent Saturday in Paintsville with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Greenfield, Misses Lizzie Wells, Hattie Buskirk and Exer Robinson drove to Ashland Sunday afternoon in the Greenfield car, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Shroat left Monday for French Lick, Ind., where Mr. Shroat will attend a banker's association. He will be one of the speakers at the meeting.

Mrs. Eugene Davis of Auxler and sister, Mrs. Sam Robinson, of Missouri, spent Tuesday here visiting friends.

Mrs. G. B. Carter spent the weekend here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl V. Martin.—Paintsville Herald.



Thursday,
Sept.
7th

This is the greatest sale event that Huntington offers twice yearly. The success of Dollar Day is evidenced by continual growth for the past seven years.

SIXTY HUNTINGTON MERCHANTS HAVE MADE PREPARATIONS TO GIVE YOU REMARKABLE VALUES FOR YOUR MONEY ON DOLLAR DAY.

For the past three years we have had customers come as far as two hundred miles who felt themselves well repaid for the expense of the trip by the purchases they were able to make.

When you come to the city look for the YELLOW SIGN CARDS in the windows. They are displayed by the merchants who join us in celebrating this event and where these signs are displayed you will be fairly and courteously treated. These official signs are your guide to securing Dollar Day merchandise and we can endorse the merchants to whom we have delivered signs.

We make this explanation because on last Dollar Day we received some complaints from customers who had visited stores who did not display official signs and were disappointed in their offerings.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE MERCHANDISE FOR THE CHILDREN AND ALL THE FAMILY BEFORE THE OPENING OF THE FALL SCHOOL TERM THIS YEAR.

We cordially invite you to visit Huntington on Dollar Day, Sept. 7th, assuring those who come a wonderful wealth of suitable merchandise at the lowest price quoted for the entire season.

WATCH THE DAILY PAPERS FOR DETAILED OFFERINGS TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY OF NEXT WEEK.

Huntington Business Men's Association

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We will arrange for your Hotel accommodations if notified.

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Huntington, W. Va.

Cordially invites you to Huntington on Dollar Day and calls your special attention to the splendid values which will be given on this occasion. Our

DOLLAR DAY

offers have always been exceptional in their character. This store has always given its customers more than they expected and this occasion will be no exception to the rule.

Some of our offers will be of extraordinary attractiveness. We have reserved from some of our summer stocks a few items left on hand after our clearance sale and these will be offered to our customers on Dollar Day at a tempting price. Many of these items were selling for several times our Dollar Day price. Naturally as the quantities are quite limited on these special values the early buyer will get the pick. Come early.

May we hope to see you in our store on Dollar Day?

Simple Problem in Mathematics.

Denny Williams teaching his girl arithmetic.

He said that was his mission; He kissed her once, he kissed her twice.

And said, "Now, that's addition;" And as he added smack by smack In silent satisfaction.

She sweetly gave him kisses back, And said, "Now, that's subtraction."

Then he kissed her and she kissed him.

Without any exclamation, Then both together smiled and said,

Now, that is multiplication."

But dad appeared upon the scene And made a quick decision—

He kicked Donny three blocks away, And said, "that's long division!"

—Exchange.

"We'd never know a single care,"

Said Mrs. William Flowers.

If other people's children were As well brought up as ours."

—Gainesville Herald.

Newest Frock



A combined kimono and circular bell sleeve, trimmed in distinctive design with white embroidery, features this new fall frock of Moroccan crepe. A roll collar which opens into a V neck and the broad end sash are also embroidered. The length—well it's back.

ON NAMING NEWSPAPERS.

Comparatively few people in Kentucky probably have heard of Thousandsticks or have any idea to what it refers, yet it is the name of a weekly newspaper published for many years at Hyden, the county seat of Leslie county. This name holds the palm among the State publications for oddity.

Other rural publications in Kentucky with odd names include a Yeoman, a Three States a Mercury, an Echo, a Clipper, a Wireless, a Clarion, a Log Cabin, a Gleaner, a Hustler, a Signal, a Falcon, an Agitator, a Standard, a Favorite and a Magnet. Very little attempt seems to have been directed toward alliteration in the naming of Kentucky newspapers, and for the most part they are entirely out of consonance with the name of the place of publication.

Newspaper names recall the Muhlenberger, published for a time at Central City, Muhlenberg county. Finally it went to the journalistic bonnyard, its end probably being hastened by the persistent habit of some of its contemporaries in referring to it as "the 'Mule and Berger."

Very few Kentucky papers carry the name of either political party, and the tendency seems to get further away from this practice. Only three

of the papers, the Bluegrass Clipper of Midway, Woodford county; the Green River Republican of Morgantown, Butler county, and the Big Sandy News of Louisa, Lawrence county, by their names convey any idea of sectional location. But naming a paper is something like naming a baby, being only a matter of choice of the owner.—Courier-Journal.

Pikeville Attorney Hurt In Auto Accident

J. R. Johnson, Pikeville attorney, sustained a broken shoulder and other injuries Sunday when his car went over an embankment on the Pikeville-Williamson road about a mile from Pikeville. His two sons were with him in the car at the time. In attempting to turn at the head of Ferguson creek control of the car was lost and it dashed down a 30-foot embankment.

DAVE BROWN GIVEN MORE TIME TO LIVE

Governor Morrow last Friday issued a ten day stay of execution in the case of Dave Brown, under sentence to die at Eddyville Monday for the murder of James Brumfield. The execution has been postponed until September 7.

"THERE'S A REASON"

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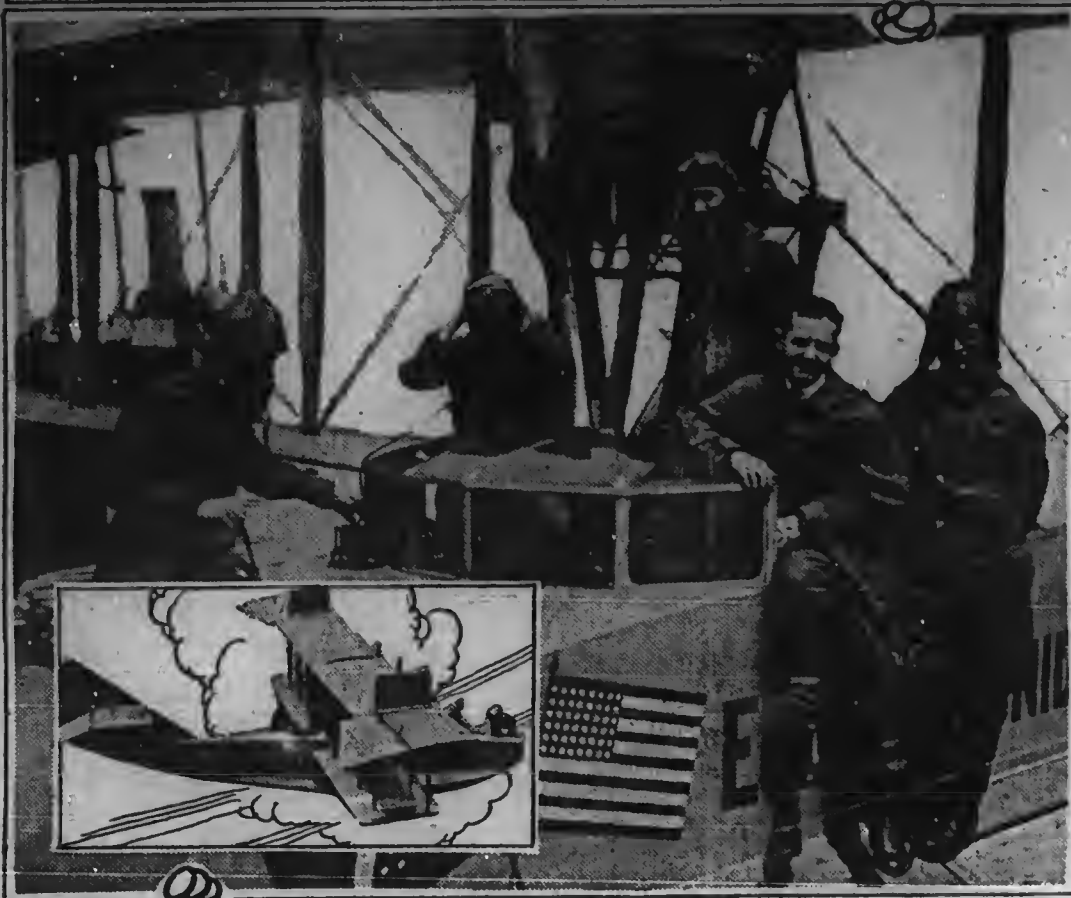
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WE PAY RETURN CHARGES

MOST MODERN AND SANITARY
DRY CLEANING PLANT IN STATE

Uncle Sam's Neptune Ace On Longest Flight



When Lieut. Walter Hinton, U. S. Navy, flew the first seaplane across the Atlantic in 1912, he wrote his name in history. He is now on another assignment, in a Navy plane flight from New York to Rio de Janeiro, which if completed will be a record trip of 8,400 miles.

Lieut. Hinton with a pilot, a mechanic, one newspaper man and a Brazilian passenger, left New York August 17th and is expected to reach Rio September 7th, in time for the opening of the Brazilian Centennial Exposition.

All down the Atlantic coast Hin-

ton's craft, the Sampaio Correia, encountered heavy head winds and was often turned back. This is one of the biggest seaplanes yet built by Uncle Sam.

The pictures show Hinton (indicated by arrow), and crew. Insert shows seaplane at start of the flight, just before raising from the water.

KILLED IN TORNADO.

One man was killed, several injured and buildings were blown down in Louisville and Jefferson in the severe storm of last Friday morning.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

The annual session of the Western Virginia Conference M. E. Church South, will be held in Fairmont, W. Va., beginning next Wednesday.

PIKEVILLE

Moonshine Raid On Grassy Creek.

Recently while one of Pike county's good citizens was digging ginseng near Virginia line on Grassy creek he unexpectedly ran into a moonshine still. There were two men operating it at the time. Our good citizen at once reported his discovery to the officers.

The next morning Magistrate E. L. Hackney at the head of a raiding party went to the spot disclosed by the seager and found the still and that the men had just gone home for a morning nap. The equipment which the officers found was one of the best taken in recent moonshine raids. It included an up-to-date 50 gallon copper still and 50 gallons of beer ready to run and seven or eight empties which had just been run.

Warrants were issued and one arrest made. The party arrested was held to await the action of the grand jury.

Prof. Shaw To Paris.

Prof. and Mrs. John Shaw, who had been spending several days at Greenup as guests of Mrs. Shaw's parents, left Greenup Friday for Frankfort and Central Kentucky.

Prof. Shaw, who has been out of the school room for more than a year has again decided to devote his time to the cause of education. He was recently elected to a position on the Paris High School Faculty. The city of Paris has a faculty of 18 teachers.

Work On Hospital Moving On.

Mr. Casdorph, the local director of the plumbing and heating contract continues to move on nicely in the installation work. While it is a big contract we are glad to report to the public that it is moving very satisfactorily.

Rev. Ashley Resigns.

The Rev. T. B. Ashley of this city has accepted a position with the McKinney Steel Company at Wolfpit, whereby he is to be director of the social educational and religious work of that place.

The Rev. Ashley has been pastor of the M. E. Church at Pikeville during the past four years. He is commissioned by the Kentucky Annual Conference of the M. E. Church. He will enter upon the educational duties of the new field on the opening of school, Sept. 5, but will await the assumption of other duties until after conference.

Fish Club Organized.

Saturday night a number of citizens of Pikeville and elsewhere met at the Jefferson hotel and organized a fish and game club by electing T. G. Parker, President, and Ed L. Burk, First Vice President, and S. T. Preston, Secretary and Treasurer.

Methods of preserving the fish of our stream against wanton destruction by seine and dynamite were discussed.

Mr. L. L. Stone told of placing almost a million fish of different kinds in our streams a few years ago and of seeing his hopes of their propagation fade as the seine and dynamite followed close upon his heels.

Poultry Experts In Pikeville.

Miss Sullivan, Mrs. Kinnamon, and Miss Thompson will be in Pikeville for some time making a survey of the poultry raised in this vicinity.

These ladies made a special study of poultry culture and are prepared to help poultry raisers in and around Pikeville.

Store Robbed.

Thursday night the Foster Thornburg Hardware Store on Huffman street was broken into and a number of revolvers taken. An entrance had been effected through the basement window and by cutting a hole through the door of the room in which the revolvers were stored.

Last Friday Frank Jones, Jr., the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of this city died at his home here following a brief illness.—Pike County News.

PRESTONSBURG

Mrs. Combs Entertains. Mrs. B. F. Combs entertained Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guests, Mrs. Troy Perkins of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Josiah Combs of Washington, D. C.

Those present were Mesdames W. S. Harkins, Cooper of Greenfield, Indiana; Layne, Spradlin, Hamlett, Hamlett of Paducah; J. C. Hopkins, Perry of Winchester; Burke, Jones Sallabury, Perkins of Tulsa, Oklahoma; W. S. Wells, Robinson and Powers of Texas; Stumbo, M. J. Leete, Combs of Washington, D. C.; White, James, Gobie, C. P. Stephens, Moles, Howard of Huntington, W. Va.; Johnson of Georgia; A. J. May, J. D. Smith, Holme, Bagby, Shelton, Snyder, W. S. Harkins, Jr., Misses Ella Noel White, Maude Sallabury, Josephine Harkins, Jewel Midyett, Helen Clark, Grace Layne, Hazel Gardner, Lila Francis.

Delightful refreshments were served.

Epworth League.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allby entertained the members of the Epworth League at their home on Upper Cross street last Saturday evening. Games and delightful refreshments made the evening a pleasant one.

Local and Personal.

E. D. Carpenter, traveling salesman of Cincinnati was here returning from a visit to relatives in Magoffin county.

Mrs. Geo. P. Archer has been rather sick for several days. Her son, Dr. E. E. Archer of Paintsville has been in attendance.

George B. Archer left this week for Adrian, Mo., to accompany home his wife who is visiting her parents.

Mrs. B. F. Combs entertained Tuesday afternoon the Methodist Ladies Aid and Young Ladies Guild. Large attendance.

Mrs. W. J. Smith of Carter county and her daughter, Mrs. Euse V. Glancey of Pittsburg with her two sons, Harry and Joe and little daughter, Olga, were recent guests of Mrs. Virginia Lusk.

Sanford Oney of Greenup county arrived at Royalton on the noon train Wednesday and was arrested on two state's warrants by officer Elliott Salyer and taken to the jail at Salyer'sville that night. One warrant was for forging a check for thirty dollars on his sister and the other one was for stealing a horse.

Miss Maita Layne and Mr. John D. Bachman were married in Akron, O. The bride is the daughter of P. M. Layne and until about five years ago lived at Herold, Ky.—Post.

AFTER 23 YEARS.

Elwood Kinner came up from Greenup Thursday morning and spent a few hours here. He located in Greenup when quite a young man and is the leading merchant of that place. He had not taken time to visit his old home town in 23 years. He is the son of the late Lefe Kinner and was reared a few miles below Louisa.

A. J. Webb of Dennis, who has been confined to his room for two weeks with double pneumonia, is still dangerously ill but is resting easier than Wednesday. At times he seems to be improving and then grows worse. He is gradually becoming weaker.

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Buildings that are not given proper attention and necessary repairs made, depreciate much more rapidly than when kept in good repair. Repairs cannot be made successfully in bad weather and should be made during the summer months. Roofs should be painted, decayed boards replaced and buildings given a general overhauling before winter.

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Van Will Hotel Burns in Paintsville Sunday

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the Van Will hotel and adjoining buildings at Paintsville on last Sunday.

Efforts of the bucket brigade, using water and chemicals, were fruitless, the elements conspired against the workmen. An increasing gale served as a bellows and an hour saw the entire hotel building a mass of flames. The fire spread to a barber shop and pool room owned by S. A. Webb next door. Both this and the hotel were

destroyed. Frame and brick buildings near the hotel block were badly scorched and damaged. These included the Dennison hotel, S. A. Webb's residence, John L. Spears' general store, W. B. Vanhousen's feed store, a restaurant and a barber shop.

Damage to this furniture and stock was great. Ed Vanhousen of Ashland, was the highest property owner of those who suffered loss. He owned the biggest portion of the Van Will hotel, valued at \$40,000. All damaged property was covered by insurance to some extent it is understood.

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Clyde M. Meek is here from California. We have not learned whether or not he came for the homecoming occasion. If so he came rather than Leo Frank. John Chapman, also, came from Florida in a Ford.

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Brief History of Lawrence County From 1885 to 1910

Many Items Taken from the Files of Big Sandy News for First 25 Years, and a Few Since That Time.

(The following brief references to events of long ago will no doubt prove interesting to a great many of our readers. A great deal of work was required to gather this matter from our files, but we believe our readers will desire to preserve this history.)

1885

Aug. 27—Hot, awfully hot. Arthur Preston of Graves Shoals is in town.

C. R. Lewis is teaching school on Lick Creek with an average of 70.

W. J. Crutcher and Lou Johnson of Peach Orchard spent Sunday in Louisa.

Conductor Williamson is one of the most accommodating men we ever met.

Rev. Capt. Music now runs a push boat between Louisa, the Point and the Mo. of Pond.

Our public school opened Monday with T. L. Moore as principal and Miss Cora Abbott Assistant.

Stanton Dean of Far West Kansas arrived in Louisa Saturday to visit the home of his boyhood days and to enjoy the breezes of our mountains.

The strike in the coal mines at Peach Orchard is ended.

G. M. McClure who has been spending summer vacation left Monday to resume his place as professor in the Deaf and Dumb Institution at Danville.

Sept. 3—Oil business on the boom. A. Broas of New York locates a well at Lower Laurel, about a mile above the Vinson well. Mr. Rigdon at the mouth of Blaine has struck oil and gas.

Prof. H. T. Lytleton conducted teachers institute in Pikeville.

Robert Crutcher died Saturday night after a stroke of paralysis.

Rev. D. P. Holt preached on Lick Creek Sunday.

Rev. C. H. Williamson, D. J. Burchett and wife attended camp meeting near Salyersville Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Wroten and Mrs. Kate Ferguson are visiting Mrs. J. M. Davidson of Prestonsburg.

Misses Thura and Mary Burns and Mrs. Anna Smucker are visiting in Catlettsburg.

M. S. Burns, R. J. Prichard and A. J. Loeat attended the Sullivan-McCaffrey fight Saturday.

Jim Marcum who has been on an extended trip through the east returned last week.

Sept. 10—G. F. Gallup of Catlettsburg was in town yesterday.

It is reported that oil is flowing in large quantities from the Mansfield well sunk in 1865 on Paint Creek.

Rev. I. B. Hutchinson and wife will celebrate their crystal wedding Sept. 14 in Catlettsburg.

Sept. 17—Born to the wife of Jesse Shannon a girl.

Wm. Shannon, John B. Clark and John Allen leave for Kentucky river. Work has ceased on the locks.

Sept. 24—We regret to know that Johnie Burns is sick with fever.

A few of our citizens are attending the Soldiers reunion in Ashland.

Nathan Crum of Inez and Fleming Webb of Glenwood have been appointed postmasters.

Riding parties are all the go among our Louisa ladies. Nothing is prettier than a pretty girl on a pretty horse.

Rev. J. H. Hager appointed to the Franklin circuit in Missouri conference.

Mr. Charles Culter and wife of Covington were recently visiting Judge John M. Rice. As Miss Amanda Rice, Mrs. Culter was long a popular lady in Louisa.

Miss Fannie Freese left Tuesday for Mount Notre Dame, Ohio, to attend school.

W. T. Young has a fine banner made by Thomas Burchett of Peach Orchard.

Geo. P. Archer of Prestonsburg is attending E. & H. College, Emory, Va.

Rev. C. H. Williamson preached his farewell sermon at the M. E. Church Sunday.

Miss Dora Vinson left Wednesday for Nazareth, Ky., to attend school. She was accompanied by Mrs. V. E. Prichard and Miss Jennie Vinson, who will attend the Louisville Exposition.

G. E. Gray of Peach Orchard, made agent for Chattahoochee railway at Louisa. His assistant is Will Johnson. Ben Dixon goes to Peach Orchard as agent.

Oct. 1—Rev. Sheppard, Riffe, Williamson, Snead and Holt have gone to conference.

Col. Jay H. Northup and wife have gone to New York. The Colonel is attending a reunion of his old regiment the 94th New York.

A car load of machinery arrived for the oil region.

Rev. H. M. Smith joins conference and sent to Roane C. H., W. Va.

Married, Oct. 11th, at the residence of R. F. Vinson, his daughter, Miss Jennie, to Mr. Arnoldus J. Garred, popular clerk of the Lawrence Circuit Court.

Louisa Fire Company organized with the following members: H. L. Ferguson, W. N. Sullivan, Geo. Billups, L. B. Ferguson, Geo. Justice, Will Billups, C. D. Norris, Milton Conley, W. A. Copley, Chas. Diamond, M. Hale, Sherman Pigg, Jesse Shannon, Wm. England, Sam Snead, R. C. McClure.

Oct. 22—Born, to the wife of Dunlap Waldeck, a boy; to the wife of W. T. Evans, a boy.

Surprise parties are the principal evening pastimes of our young folks. Mr. John Frazier died at his home on Mill Creek near Fort Gay.

Oct. 29—News from the oil region is very encouraging. A large territory near Flat Gap, Johnson county, has been leased to New York parties.

Drs. J. J. Gambill, N. T. Rice and A. T. Roberts have gone to Louisville to attend medical college.

Nov. 5—All the down boats go loaded with sorghum, beans and other produce.

The Chattahoochee railway is doing an excellent freight business. The afternoon train Wednesday was here an hour, loading.

Station Agent Gray is visiting in Illinois. George Hale is jerking lightning during his absence.

Capt. M. Freese is in command of the Ingomar.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Garred return from New York and are serenaded by the Louisa Brass Band.

Skating rink opened in Drake's Hall. It will be managed by Milt Burns, which is a guarantee that there will be plenty of fun.

Nov. 12—The Frank Preston ran into a tree below Paintsville and badly damaged.

The Mountain Girl, with a circus on board, collided with the James W. Gaff below Cincinnati.

Nov. 19—Married, at the residence of Richard Meek, Miss Idella Meek to Mr. Minard Thompson.

Louisa has 20 stores, 3 blacksmith shops, one wagon shop, one cabinet shop, two meat stores, and one shoe shop, and the largest flouring mill in Eastern Kentucky.

The Rigdon well near the mouth of Blaine shot. The Chattahoochee ran a special train from Ashland for the occasion. The well was 2597 feet deep.

Nov. 26—Vice-President Hendricks died yesterday in Indianapolis.

Dec. 3—R. C. McClure and wife have returned from Cincinnati.

G. W. Castle has gone to Washington.

Judge Rice is off the bench this week. He went out to Hood Monday to see how rich he is.

Our village has been astruck with commercial travellers this week. Duncan, Smith, Milstead, Murray, Lawton and other knights of the road have been with us, soliciting orders.

Married, Nov. 29th, by Rev. Lauck, Miss Nannie Marcum to Mr. Mack Baker.

Dec. 10—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas, also John Thomas, return from Lebanon Ohio.

\$1000 subscribed to building a Baptist Church here.

Dec. 17—Senator and Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Northup went to Cincinnati last week.

Prichard and Billups, our mighty hunters, have returned from the Blue Ridge bringing their trophies with them. Our table, however, is still bare of meat—it was too "dear."

Dec. 24—John Stewart is home from Ann Arbor for the holidays.

Mrs. R. F. Vinson has gone to Nazareth to visit Miss Dora.

Miss Inez Frank has gone to Indianapolis to attend the holidays.

Misses Gipsie Northup, Lizzie Burns and Nora Borders returned from Wesleyan College, Cincinnati, Saturday.

A substantial stile has been made across the public fence, opposite the front door of the court house.

Lewis Skaggs, the Lawrence county giant was in town this week. He is 24 years old, is six feet and seven inches high, and weighs 306 pounds.

Dec. 31—On Monday last Mr. James A. Hughes of Louisa and Miss Belle Vinson of Kroust's Station, were united in marriage. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left on the C. & O. for the exposition at New Orleans. Mr. Hughes is well known as one of our most energetic and prosperous business men. His bride is a young lady of beauty and worth, well known in this neighborhood, the place of her birth.

Mr. W. W. Marcum, a well known attorney of this place, was married Tuesday evening to Miss Mary E. Burgess of Peach Orchard.

Also on the same day, at the residence of Reed Roberts, Mr. Davis Holt to Miss Mary Lou Roberts.

Mr. Leo Frank offers for sale his residence and business property. Mr. Frank has been a resident of Louisa more than 20 years and in that time has made for himself an enviable reputation as an honest, enterprising citizen and business man.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Goble and young Mont were visiting in Louisa Sunday. Senator and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace left for Frankfort Monday. Mrs. Wallace will spend the winter with her husband, and will by her many virtues and accomplishments, be a valuable acquisition to Frankfort society.

Several are attending the convalescence in Augusta, Ky.

1886

Jan. 7—Miss Cora Abbott is teaching school in the Burns school house. Lee and Lise Garred returned to A. & M. College Monday.

Jno. B. Bromley, C. H. Hampton and Mordica Williams of Catlettsburg were up Monday.

Jan. 14—Judge S. S. Savages of Boyd county announces candidacy for Congress.

James Hatcher of this place was recently married to Miss Vaughan of Peach Orchard.

G. W. Chandler of Georges Creek, struck on head by falling timber and killed.

Jan. 21—M. E. Mann of Massachusetts opens private school at Horseford.

Jan. 28—We are pleased to notice in the Frankfort papers that Senator Wallace is always at his place and looking to the interests of his constituents.

Feb. 4—At the conclusion of the service at the M. E. Church Sunday, Mr. W. T. Pearson was presented with an elegant silver water set. Mr. Pearson and family left Louisa Monday for Washington and Florida.

Feb. 11—First meeting of the Chattanooga circle at Col. Northup's.

Feb. 18—Born, to the wife of G. W. Gunnell, a boy.

Hon. Z. C. Vinson revenue collector, was in town Saturday.

Attorneys attending circuit court: L. T. Moore, T. R. Brown, R. C. Burns, Catlettsburg; W. C. Ireland and J. F. Hager, Ashland; Jas. Goble, Prestonsburg; J. S. Patton, Inez; G. W. Skaggs, Blaine; B. H. Conley, Flat Gap.

Feb. 25—Martin, Johnson and Crutcher of Peach Orchard spent Sunday in town.

R. C. McClure has sold his grocery store to W. M. Dorost.

B. F. Thomas is preparing to build a residence in the upper part of town. By connecting at Paintsville the Ingomar and Frank Preston made daily trips to Pikeville last week.

Mar. 4—This office has a new sign from the studio of W. O. Johnson.

Ed. S. Hughes has returned and taken a position with Jas. A. Hughes & Co.

Married, Feb. 10, Mr. G. W. Peck and Miss Maggie See.

We are informed that the Chattahoochee R. R. will be extended to White House where there is a large vein of canal coal.

Mar. 11—The brass band was out Monday night and furnished some good music. The band is improving rapidly.

Mar. 15—A masquerade mite will be given at Drake's Hall Friday night.

Moon strikes are prevailing in this country now than ever before at one time.

Dr. J. W. Swelam of Peach Orchard has been suffering some time with a broken leg.

April 1—Mr. John D. Littlejohn of Cassville was in town yesterday.

April 8—Married on the 31st ult. Mr. Hiram Bloss to Miss Mollie Herry. R. H. Wedding and daughter Miss Daisy of Prestonsburg spent Sunday and Monday in Louisa.

April 15—D. C. Spencer has opened a restaurant on Main Cross street.

April 29—The Enterprise Block is being painted by Wm. Sullivan.

F. F. Freese, H. T. and Joe Lytleton returned from the falls of Blaine Tuesday with a fine string of fish.

Jesse Shannon, T. J. Snyder and Henry Sammons left Monday for Englewood, Kansas.

May 6—Dr. H. O. Cease sprained his thumb badly while trying to ride a bicycle.

May 13—At a May party given at the residence of Mr. G. F. Johnson, Miss Little Ferguson was chosen May Queen and Misses Willie Laucke and Willie Burgess First and Second Maids.

May 20—Died in Louisa May 12th at the residence of C. D. Norris, Judge H. W. Norris.

June 3—Guager John Rice has returned from a trip to Catlettsburg. John is engaged with the Nickel Plate and has been doing some good playing.

June 10—Miss Emma Johns, Mrs. Annie Schmecker, Mrs. W. S. Harkins and Mrs. P. Harrison of Prestonsburg passed up on the train last week.

James McConnell passed up Monday enroute for Tug.

June 24—Louisa social circles have been quite gay during the past few days. Our village has been brightened with the presence of several beautiful young ladies from our neighboring towns, and they with our pretty lasses, have about distracted our boys. On Monday night a very pleasant dancing party was given at Drake's Hall, which was attended by several couples. Tuesday evening quite a number of belles and beaux called at Major Burchett's and spent a pleasant hour with Miss Chubbie and her guests, Miss Poage and Henderson.

July 1—Miss M. V. Graham has removed to Catlettsburg and is now in charge of the Alger House.

July 8—There is no use to send abroad for a painter when we have as good a workman as Will Sullivan.

July 15—W. O. Johnson is an applicant for an appointment at West Point.

July 22—Jas. H. Marcum (Fud) sentenced to death for murder of Fisher Marcum.

July 29—The Chattahoochee Camp Meeting began the 23rd.

Motion for new trial overruled in Marcum case and Friday, Oct. 22, fixed for the day of execution.

Aug. 26—Socials at the homes of Major Burchett and Mrs. Hatcher have materially contributed to the enjoyment of the young folks this week.

John Littlejohn, an old type in this office, poked his head in and smiles on us like an autumn sunbeam, occasionally.

Sept. 16—Born to J. W. Rice and wife last Friday, a daughter—Carrie Abbott.

Sept. 23—R. C. McClure, wife and little daughter, while on their way to Gerreds Chapel Sunday, narrowly escaped getting seriously injured by the buggy going over an embankment.

Sept. 30—Elsworth Norris, Dr. Joe Bussey and Wm. Remmele attended the Exposition at Cincinnati.

Oct. 7—The latest addition to Milt Burns' museum is a curious green snake captured by Squire Luke McGuire.

Oct. 14—Ed Kirker and Coon Walters were in town this week.

Work on the Baptist Church started. Col. Breckinridge and Judge Wall spoke in Louisa.

Nov. 4—Prof. George and Dr. Ben McClure, with their brides, arrive in Louisa for a visit to relatives. On Oct. 26th Prof. George was married to Miss Carrie Jasper of Nicholasville, and Dr. Ben to Miss Mattie Farris of Danville.

Nov. 11—In the list of pupils of Miss Hannah Moore we note the following: Henna Northup, Nannie Freese, Mattie Riggs, Mary Vinson, Lilly Caperton, Stella Leffingwell, Lou Vinson, Kittie Wroten, Lizzie Atkins, Addie Burchett, Myrdis Elswick, Ethel O'Brien, Charlotte Freese, Sadie Marion, Lizzie Shannon, Edith Marcum, May Arnett, Belle Burgess, May Bell Elswick, Mamma Strachan, Maggie Atkins, Ida Holt, Maggie O'Brien, Alissa Abbott, Mattie Wallace, Mary Yates, Lucy Prichard, Minnie Abbott, Ella Cook, Sallie Freese, Emma Wood Northup; James Atkins, Fred Shannon, Robert Vinson, Henry Snyder, John Hillups, Frank Marcum, Isaac Hale, Ben Leffingwell, Milt Riggs, John Burchett, George Burchett, George Burgess, John Jones, Jamie Layne, Frank Johnson, Henry Johns, George Fulkerson, John Burns, Frank Jones Bob Hiekel, Geo. Wroten, Willie Fulkerson, John Lackey, Frank Diamond, Charley Hays.

Dr. Wroten's pupils—Grace Eaves, Neva Stewart, Jetty Roffe, Viva Eaves, Ida Billups, Janie Vinson, Annis Johns, Fannie Goff, Maggie Yates, Bells Marcum, Jonnie Murray, Minnie Stoe, Hester Roffe, Miriam Hatcher, Grace Marcum, Lida Hale, Tennie Copley, Minerva Wilson, Willie Burgess, Ella Strachan, Beckie Vinson, Lizzie Diamond, Myrtle Chapman, Maria Waldeck, Helle Wooten, Florida Eaves, Phebe Northup, Olga Sammons, Cora Drennon, Minnie Davis, Vinnie Davis, Reba Lackey, Ernest Shannon, Ora Atkins, George Vinson, Frank Yates, Forrest Stewart, Mart Conley, Jay Vinson, Fred Marcum, Sam Freese, Sam Smith, Jeff Justice, Cam Layne, Richard Johnson, Geo. Waldeck, Lon Chambers.

G. W. Gunnell & Co. open store in large brick near depot.

Nov. 18—Will Geiger of Ashland has accepted a position as salesman with J. A. Hughes.

Judge Archibald Borders died at his home near Peach Orchard on the 13th.

Nov. 25—M. F. Carter's house destroyed by fire and one of his little children burned to death.

Eight persons, including family of Jack Terman, poisoned at Rockville station on Tuesday.

Dec. 2—G. W. Chapman completed a four months school at Ferguson, W. Va.

Hon. H. H. Gambill of Blaine returned from Flemingsburg, where he took a lot of mules and horses.

Married on the 24th in Pikeville, Mr. Jas. Trimble of Catlettsburg, to Miss Lizzie Hatcher.

Dec. 16—We bear some talk of a bridge being built between Louisa and Cassville, W. Va.

1887

Jan. 6—Tommy, little son of Prof. and Mrs. Lytleton, drowned Christmas night. The body was found several weeks later by Kenas Short, Jas. Pigg and Leander Cox about 12 miles below Louisa.

Jan. 20—A force of men is now working on the extension of the Chattahoochee from Richardson to Whitehouse. Col. Northup says the Chattahoochee will be built up Sandy valley and be connected with a road in Virginia just as soon as the work can be done.

Flem McHenry and Jack Caine have returned from a prospecting trip to Arkansas.

Married on Wednesday, Jan. 19th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Mr. Williamson, Miss Thura Burns to Rev. Chester H. Williamson, pastor of the West Covington M. E. Church, and Miss Lizzie Burns to Mr. Lucien Johnson, of fronton, Hookkeeper and civil engineer for the Great Western Mining and Manufacturing Co., Peach Orchard.

Jan. 27—Closing exercises in Miss Hannah Moore's room of Louisa school Song, White Wings, School.

Rec. Stay, stay at home, my heart. Rec. The Boys, Bob Blekel.

Rec. New Year, Maggie O'Brien.

Rec. The Laggard Smasher, George Burgess.

Reading, Lou Vinson.

Rec. Over the Hill to the Poor House, Ida Holt.

Reading, Disappointment, John Burns.

Rec. Twinkle, little star (modern version) Alissa Abbott.

Rec. The Scholar, Henry Snyder.

Rec. The Sword Song, Henna Northup.

Rec. The Sword Song, Mattie Wallace.

Reading, Willie Fulkerson.

Rec. Children, Sadie Marion.

Rec. About Ben Adam, Mary Yates.

Rec. Lou and Kittie, Stella Leffingwell.

Rec. Custard and Mustard, Lucy Prichard.

Rec. Maiden Fair, Charlotte Freese.

Rec. The Old Woman, Geo. Wroten Jr. Rec. Grand Pa, Ella Cook.

the White House extension. M. F. Garred has the contract of grading the road.

C. M. Holbrook, of Blaine, who only a short time ago lost his wife and infant child, died on the 12th.

Feb. 24—A copy of a new paper, The District Review, published at Ravenswood, W. Va., by Revs. S. F. McClung and R. F. Gosling, has been received.

R. M. Ferrill and W. M. Connolly of Pikeville are improving their dwellings. Robert Hurchett is doing the painting.

March 10—The County Commissioners, Messrs. John Hays Nelson Sparks and Wm. Christian, held court here Monday and Tuesday.

March 31—Mr. A. G. Rice of Centerville, Mo., and Miss Mary C. Garred of Stone House were married last evening at the bride's home.

Miss John Carey of Stone House, Miss Martha Roberts of Smoky Valley, Miss Lizzie Peck of Peck's Station and Miss Josie Vaughan of Prestonsburg are attending Dr. Wroten's school.

April 7—During the month ending April 1, the following pupils were absolutely perfect in the following studies: In orthography, Forrest Stewart and Mart Conley; in geography, Mart Conley and Miss Mattie Goff; in mental arithmetic, George Vinson, Sam Strachan and Mart Conley.

Henry Sammons has been appointed Town Marshal.

April 14—Mr. James Billups and bride, nee Miss Alice Prichett, arrived here Tuesday from Gallipolis, Ohio, where they were married Sunday at the bride's home. "Jim" is a model young man, and we wish him all the prosperity and happiness which he deserves.

April 23—Fud Marcum was hanged Friday afternoon, April 29th.

George Waldeck, Cam Layne and Richard Johnson left Monday for the breaks of this river, where they will join the three C's Engineer Corps.

May 5—The value of property in the town of Louisa, as given to the Assessor, is \$225,215.

May 19—Trains will soon be running to Whitehouse.

A horse race took place near Louisa Monday.

A considerable amount of oil is being pumped from the first well drilled on Blaine.

May 19—Mrs. Mary Hatcher died at her home in Cordova, Ill. April 27th.

On May 15th Rev. L. H. Suddith and Miss Lottie Ferguson were united in marriage.

May 26—Louisa boasts of several new enterprises. A tin shop, a tailor shop and planing mill have just been added.

The young folks had a May party at the falls of Two Mile Saturday. Miss Henna Northup was crowned May Queen.

June 9—Dr. Will Swetnam a son of Dr. H. S. Swetnam, was married to Miss Effie Green of Kansas recently.

Miss Jennie Huggess arrived home Saturday from Anchorage, where she attended the Bellewood Seminary.

J. F. Ratcliff purchased half interest in the firm of E. S. Hughes & Co. Jan. 24—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Marcum, a boy.

Feb. 7—Died at Junction City, Ky., Mrs. Dr. W. B. McClure.

Dr. Cease moved to Greenup.

Feb. 28—Married the 27th Mr. Alexander Lackey to Miss Hannah Moore. Married, last Tuesday, Mr. G. R. B. Chapman to Mrs. Tenant of Ashland.

March 22—Married at First Baptist Church, Mr. W. H. Hillips to Miss Inez V. Ferguson.

April 25—Born yesterday to the wife of Dr. W. A. Berry, a girl.

Born Monday to the wife of Ulysses Wilson, a boy.

April 25—Mr. Thos. J. Davis has accepted a position as Assistant Cashier in the Second National Bank at Ashland.

May 2—J. C. C. Mayo was in Louisa this week.

May 9—The Crescent Lawn Tennis Club was organized with the following officers: L. B. Ferguson, pres.; Miss Fannie Freese, sec.; Miss Dora Vinson, treas.; Executive committee: H. C. Sullivan, Ed S. Hughes, Misses Gipsie Northup, Nava Stewart and Thebe Northup.

May 16—R. C. McClure was appointed postmaster to succeed Mrs. C. C. Sullivan.

May 16—Married on the 15th at the M. E. Church South, Mr. W. D. O'Neal and Miss Belle Marcum.

Missworth Norris moved to Catlettsburg.

July 4—Kate Gore, aged 16, was drowned a short distance below Louisa last Saturday afternoon.

July 18—Died last Sunday, Mr. Matthew Drake.

July 25—New lock-up completed.

Died on the 17th, Mr. David A. Fulkerson, aged 32; on the 24th, Miss Julia McHenry.

Aug. 1—Alex, little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Lackey was severely burned Tuesday by a powder explosion.

Aug. 15—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hughes left yesterday for Huntington where they will make their home.

Sept. 19—The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Marcum of Fort Gay was celebrated at their home last Sunday. Ten sons and daughters and 25 grand-children were present.

Freese and Norris have completed repairs on their steamer, the Tom Spurlock.

Mr. Chas. Warren and daughter, Miss Lizzie, of Rockville, went to Cincinnati last week to see Montezuma, from there to Detroit, Mich., and returned by Millersburg, Ky., where Miss Lizzie remained to attend college.

Sept. 26—G. W. Gunnell & Co. are remodeling the old hotel building recently vacated by D. C. Spencer, and will turn it into a commodious store room.

Oct. 3—Married, on the 5th ult. at the home of the bride's parents in Greenbrier county, W. Va., Mr. Wm. F. Wilson of this place to Miss Araminta McClung.

Died, at Peach Orchard, on last Saturday, Rolla Loveland, the infant son of Dr. F. W. Wells and wife.

Oct. 31—The Louisa public schools opened Tuesday in their new building with Prof. Gayhart principal, Miss Sadie Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Gayhart and Miss Maggie Fletcher teachers.

Nov. 15—John H. Allison, former Sheriff, died of heart disease at Summit station Monday.

Dr. W. H. McClure, a native of Louisa, who occupies a foremost position among the prominent young physicians of Central Kentucky, is visiting home folks.

Nov. 22—The brick work on the new M. E. Church was completed Monday.

Nov. 29—Married, yesterday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Chas. H. Johnston of Peach Orchard, to Miss Maul Carey.

Dec. 6—Born, in Ft. Bennett, S. D. Nov. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Wrotton, a boy—Milton J.

No. 2404 drew the organ at C. W. Gunnell & Co.'s Monday and A. H. Miller proved to be the lucky man.

Dec. 13—Mr. R. F. Thomas laid off in town lots a tract of land in the lower part of town. The street thru the tract was named Maple.

Thos. Hatcher of Richardson appointed agent for O. & B. S. R. R. here Big Sandy National bank organized in Catlettsburg.

An engineering corps under charge of Mr. John Thomas began work for the O. & B. S. Monday. Routes will be surveyed up both Levisa and Tug forks.

at Blaine.

Jas. Rose is building a dwelling in the Thomas addition.

Some of our street crossings are completely buried.

Feb. 14—Big railroad meeting held on the 19th and right of way guaranteed.

Died, on last Friday, Mrs. Addie Hurchett, wife of Major Burchett.

There is a movement on foot to organize a bank in Louisa.

Dr. W. B. McClure appointed to a good position in the New York Medical College.

Died, on the 5th, at Peach Orchard, Bertie Richardson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Gray.

Feb. 21—Lieut. Carnahan and bride arrived in Louisa Friday.

Louisa has been flooded with engineers this week.

Ellison Mounts (or Hatfield) was hung in Pikeville Tuesday for the murder of a McCoy girl Jan. 1, 1888.

N. & W. engineer's headquarters located in Louisa.

Feb. 28—Mr. J. F. Ratcliff of "Billie branch," W. Va., was here this week.

Mr. McClure of Wayne will move his school to the Oakview Academy next week.

Mr. J. C. C. Mayo of Paintsville was in Louisa last week returning to Central Kentucky.

March 7—Miss Myrtle Chapman who has been in Cincinnati several months is visiting in Louisa.

The O. & B. S. has a very large new locomotive, No. 8.

March 14—Died, yesterday at his home near Louisa, Judge J. M. Clayton.

March 21—Frank Yates is now clerk at the Chattahoochee hotel, vice Jay Vinson resigned.

Four different railroads have engineers at work in the Sandy valley.

Prof. E. H. Eves, late principal of our schools, has entered the journalistic field at Pikeston, Ohio.

J. P. Martin of Pottersville has purchased property in Blaine.

Blaine brass band organized last Saturday night.

Frank Wallace Jr. celebrated his 16th birthday with a party.

March 28—The following composed the Louisa delegation to Louisville: Ed S. Hughes, G. W. Gunnell, D. C. Spencer, Augustus Snyder, William Waldeck, J. W. M. Stewart, M. S. Burns, H. W. Ferguson, R. J. Prichard, J. A. Vinson, M. F. Conley, Wm. Remmle and A. J. Loar.

April 4—Tornado wrecks Louisville March 29. Several from Louisa were there at the time.

Married, at the Baptist Church last Wednesday, Mr. Lindsey Baker and Miss Tennie Copley.

Charter granted to the "Bank of Louisa."

April 11—A new steamer, the Vna Meter, is now plying Big Sandy. Freese & Norris' new steamboat—the Freddie N.—will soon be out.

April 18—"Eloise" is the name of the proposed town above Louisa.

Frank Preston, one of the most prominent men in the Sandy valley, died at his home in Johnson forty last Monday.

April 25—Mr. J. C. Butler will soon remove his family from Peach Orchard to this place.

Charters have been secured for the "Louisa Street Railway," "Louisa Water Works" and "Louisa Electric Light" companies.

S. B. Justice appointed Justice of the Peace.

Engineer Thomas ordered to Green river to take charge of lock and dam.

May 2—Died, at his home on Georges Creek, on the 24th ult., Mr. Thos. Spencer, aged 64, father of D. C. Spencer of this place.

A fire started in the roof of the Central drug store last Tuesday.

May 9—M. E. Church dedicated at Sunday. Several from down-river points attended.

Our accommodating express agent, Sam Freese, was taken ill Wednesday but is now out again.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas and little daughter Heloise will leave in a few days to join Mr. Thomas at Rochester, Ky.

L. B. Ferguson has secured a position as Assistant Secretary of the Ashland Improvement Co.

Thos. Hatcher, agent at this place, has resigned to take another place on the road. G. B. Gray will succeed him. Sam Strachan goes to Peach Orchard, and Ora Brunton to White House.

May 16—C. H. Peters & Co. have opened a grocery store.

Wm. Shannon and Wm. Wilson are opening a butcher shop.

Fallsburg held its first town election on the 3rd.

May 23—The Louisa-Cassville telephone line works like a charm.

May 30—In the declamatory contest at the Baptist Church Wednesday night there were six contestants, and the first and second prizes were awarded to Misses Miriam Fletcher and Vic Swetnam.

The name of the new town laid off near the mouth of Big Sandy river has been changed from "Chatawaha" to "Kenova."

Aug. 8—Following county officers elected: Webb, Judge; M. S. Burns, Attorney; Robt. Dixon, Clerk; A. J. Wilson, Sheriff; W. A. Berry, Supt.; Jas. Vinson, Jailor; L. C. Carter, Assessor; J. R. Dean, Surveyor; J. V. Swetnam, Coroner; J. F. Stump, Commissioner.

Mr. Millard Garred died Sunday at Hot Springs, Ark.

Aug. 15—Died on last Friday, Dr. S. J. Yates, aged 74 years. Dr. Yates was from Virginia and located here in 1842.

Miss Myrtle Chapman of Cincinnati was married to Mr. Wm. Franklin of Point Pleasant, Ohio.

John Ratcliff is loafing in Louisa for a short while trying to get "city-fied" again after having stayed on Twelve Pole several months.

Married, yesterday, at the home of the bride's parents, Millard F. Hale to Miss Miriam Shambline.

Capt. Freese came home a few days ago with a portion of a circus which the steamer Spurlock had been carrying, and which he took for indebtedness.

On Aug. 4th Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Kline celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary.

Aug. 22—Married, at the M. E. Church Wednesday, Mr. Walter A. Robertson of Virginia, to Miss Cora Abbott of this place.

Sept. 26—Jeff Justice succeeds Sam Freese as assistant freight agent.

Telephone lines have been put in from the postoffice to D. C. Spencer's store and to Cassville.

Oct. 2—Forepaughs circus in Ashland The NEWS adds a steam engine to its plant.

Oct. 10—Jay A. Vinson left Monday for North Yakima, Wash., on the 4th.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents in Cassville, Mr. Wayne Bromley to Miss Mary York.

Oct. 17—Married, yesterday at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. G. B. Carter to Miss Ruby Holt.

Nov. 7—Married, at Wayne C. H. yesterday, James O. Marcum to Miss Rebecca Vinson, both of this place.

Nov. 14—Big oil well struck near Blaine. At a depth of 300 feet level overflowed. Pumped 36 barrels per day. \$20 per barrel was offered for oil delivered at depot here.

Nov. 14—Boone Williamson is conductor on trains 1 and 3, and Wm. Myers is day conductor and Grant Dawson night conductor on the shuttle.

P. C. Montague has resumed his duties on Nos. 2 and 3.

Dr. W. B. McClure and bride (nee Miss Mattie Berkeley) of Lexington, are visiting here.

A new railroad bridge is being built across the river three miles above Louisa.

Dec. 19—The Louisa & Southeastern railroad organized.

1891

Jan. 2—Louisa was shocked when a telegram was received from Dr. Wrotton stating that his daughter, Minnie Wrotton Carnahan, was drowned. The accident occurred on Dec. 31 in the Missouri river near Port Bennett, South Dakota.

The new steamer "Lexington" is now plying the Big Sandy.

Jan. 16—Mr. Greenville Lackey died Jan. 12th, age 84 years. His widow followed him just one week later.

Married, Dec. 3rd, at Panama, Miss. Mr. Ira Goff to Miss Katie Moore. On Dec. 31st, at Shellmound, Miss. Miss Mattie Goff to Mr. W. A. Bounds.

Feb. 5—Messrs. L. T. and T. S. McClure have purchased the Chattahoochee hotel. The name will be changed to the "Brunswick."

D. C. Spencer has arranged to have one of the wonderful Edison phonographs placed in his store.

March 13—Nearly 2,000,000 bushels of coal were mined in Lawrence county in 1890.

March 27—A program of the graduating exercises of the National Normal University at Lebanon, Ohio, has been received. The names of Geo. W. Chapman and Walter M. Byington of this county appear in the list of graduates.

April 7—Married, at high noon on Wednesday, April 15, at the residence of U. S. Marshall D. J. Burchett, his eldest daughter, Miss Chubbie, to Mr. John F. Ratcliff, of Ceredo, W. Va.

May 22—Miss Maggie Yates gave a enjoyable lawn party to her friends last Saturday evening.

Jack Frost visited us a few nights ago.

June 5—Contract let for building 16 miles of railroad from Three Mile to Richardson along the river.

June 12—Mr. V. E. Muncey graduated from A. & M. College last week and won first honors.

June 26—A brass band from this place attended the Masonic celebration at Pikeville Wednesday.

July 3—Bank of Louisa organized. Directors: D. J. Burchett, Alexander Lackey, Augustus Snyder, G. W. Gunnell, L. M. Atkins, A. J. Garred and J. W. M. Stewart. Thos. J. Davis cashier.

A party of young folks picniced at Three Mile Wednesday. They went up on the morning train and returned in a flat boat. Mrs. J. W. M. Stewart chaperoned the party.

July 10—Fourth of July was celebrated here. Louisa defeated the Peach Orchard ball team 2 to 4. The pitching of Robt. Billups and the catching of Harris and Salsberry were the features of the contest.

July 17—Born last Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Q. Lackey, a boy.

The name of Rockville station has been changed to Buchanan, and that of Brannham to Potters.

The Louisa base ball club was defeated at Catlettsburg 13 to 16. At the end of the second inning the score was 11 to 1 in favor of Catlettsburg.

July 31—Fronton and Louisa crossed bats last Saturday. The game went for 10 innings and Louisa won, 9 to 8. The features of the game were Billups' and Harris' battery work and Bromley's and Harris' batting.

Aug. 7—About 8:40 Monday morning the boiler at the O. & B. S. incline at Richardson exploded. No one was hurt.

Aug. 28—Time for holding elections changed from August to November.

Died, Aug. 25th, Harry, the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Snyder, of membranous croup.

Sept. 11—Work was begun on Aug. Snyder's residence a few days ago. Richard Johnson went to Lexington to attend college.

Sept. 25—Dr. G. W. Wrotea and family returned from Dakota to Louisa last Saturday.

Oct. 2—R. A. Stons left for Missouri where he expects to make his home.

Oct. 8—Frank Yates has moved his stock of groceries from Normal to Louisa and is opening a store here.

Married, near Cassville, W. M. Schmucker to Miss Lizzie Hammond.

Oct. 16—Ed S. and A. M. Hughes will leave Louisa to engage in business elsewhere. Ed will go to Ceredo while Arthur will locate at Central City.

Nov. 6—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bromley of Fort Gay, a daughter.

Died on Nov. 2nd, Mrs. Ulysses Wilson of typhoid fever.

George Waldeck has gone to Huntington to study medicine in the office of Dr. Prichard.

Married, John Calvin to Miss Philona Selley; George Calvin to Miss Jennie Prichard.

Dec. 4—Sam Freese has accepted a position as station agent and telegrapher at Kennedy Heights.

Robert Burchett has located in Louisa and has a grocery store.

Dec. 18—Married at Catlettsburg on the 17th, Mr. A. J. Loar to Miss Lizzie Spencer.

D. C. Spencer's dwelling was considerably damaged by fire last Friday. Died on the 14th Greenway Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rice.

Dec. 25—Married Tuesday, Mr. E. H. Westlake to Miss Daisy Atkins.

The Home Comedy Club presented "Bound by Oath" on Tuesday evening. Forest Stewart played the leading role; Henry Sullivan was the villain; Lon Berders was the vagabond; Boyd Ferguson was the lover; Harry Cooley had the negro part. Also, in the play were Miriam Hatcher, Emma Burchett, Hester Roffe and Maggie Yates.

1892

Jan. 8—Born, to J. B. Peters and wife on Dec. 31, a boy.

Jan. 15—Born, to the wife of Zeb Heston, a girl.

A new wholesale grocery firm is beginning business in Louisa. The name is Atkins, Burchett & Ratcliff.

Jan. 22—Married, Mr. Chas. Crutcher to Miss Jean Reynolds.

Feb. 12—Born, to the wife of Roland Endicott, a 12 pound boy.

A census of Louisa was taken so that the town could be properly classed by the legislature. The result shows the population to be 1,014.

Feb. 19—R. C. McClure moves into his new residence.

The steamboat trip, which was taken last Sunday morning on the "Lexington," was largely attended. The party went to Ashland, then up to Central City, then returned to Louisa.

Feb. 26—The Louisa Wharfboat Co. has organized and purchased a boat to be used here.

Miss Gipsy Northup of Ashland and Dr. Harry Wood of Buffalo, N. Y., were married last Wednesday at the residence of Col. Northup in Ashland.

Mrs. John Bromley died at her home in Ft. Gay last night.

Died at her home this morning, Miss Julia Handy, daughter of the late Col. R. D. Handy.

March 4—Born, recently to the wife of D. C. Spencer, a daughter.

March 4—The Bank of Louisa will move into its new building in a few days.

J. B. Bartram graduated from the Louisville Medical College a few days ago.

Dr. Will H. Swetnam died last week in Kansas of tuberculosis. His body was brought here for burial.

March 11—Born, on the 3rd, to the wife of J. F. Ratcliff, a daughter.

J. W. Castle of Paintsville has opened an undertaking establishment in Louisa.

Wm. Dawson, aged 78, died in Cassville last Monday.

The 2 year old son of Wm. Billups fell and broke his leg a few days ago. Also, on last Sunday George Atkins, age 5 years, fell from a stable loft and broke his leg.

Died at the Hotel Brunswick on last Tuesday morning Mrs. T. J. Davis. She was buried in Ashland, her former home.

March 18—Aug. Snyder has moved into his new residence.

April 1—Born, to the wife of A. J. Garred, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crutcher, a boy—Frank B.

P. C. Layne returned home Monday from the Ohio Medical College of Cincinnati.

April 8—Married, Wm. A. Cole to Miss Jennie Moore, daughter of Tip Moore.

April 22—Geo. Billups returned home yesterday from Gallipolis, bringing his bride with him.

J. A. Vinson passed the bar examination in Louisville last week.

April 22—Married, Mr. Jas. Hackworth of Ashland and Miss Florida Eves on next Wednesday.

Mrs. Dave Snyder and little son of Ft. Pleasant, W. Va., are visiting relatives here.

April 29—Married, Miss Lena Yates to Mr. Ben Meyers last Monday.

Douglas wedding last Tuesday noon. Mr. Arthur M. Hughes to Miss Jennie Burgess, and Mr. Orlando S. Horton to Miss Mary Burns. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will live in Central City, W. Va., while Mr. and Mrs. Horton will make their home in Wilksboro, Pa.

May 6—Born, last week to the wife of Fred Bradley, a girl.

May 20—Born, on the 14th to the wife of Joseph McClure, a daughter.

May 27—Died, at her home at Wayne, W. Va., last Saturday Mrs. Millard Vinson.

Misses Lula and Daisy Poage of Missouri, arrived Monday for a visit to Judge Rice and family.

Married, yesterday evening at the Baptist church C. J. Wilson and Miss Nannie Endicott.

A picnic was given at the falls of Two Mile yesterday. The party consisted of Mrs. Eva Stewart, Misses Kate and Gertrude Southgate, Nava Stewart, Nora Borders, Belle Borders, Miss Vaughan of Catlettsburg and Hon. Sam Freese, Dr. George Waldeck, Col. Lina Boyd Ferguson, Squire Jno. Burns and Judge Forrest Stewart.

July 8—Married, Wednesday evening, E. Z. Wilson and Miss Lida McHenry.

Also, married Wednesday evening, Mont Hale and Miss Carrie Welman.

The Fourth of July celebration consisted of a base ball game which was won by Louisa 14 to 7. L. S. Johnson had charge of the fireworks. The prize for the best saddle horse was won by John Jeems. The prettiest baby prize was given to Ben Martin's child. The fan for the handsomest young lady was awarded to Miss Corlida Burgess.

July 15—Nicholas McGuire, aged 94 years, died at his home on Two Mile Wednesday.

July 29—The Louisa public schools will open Sept. 19 with Prof. Gayhart principal; Miss Mary Davis, first assistant and Miss Nora Borders second assistant and Miss Hester Roffe primary teacher.

Aug. 19—M. S. Burns was elected city clerk.

Mr. C. Sullivan passed the bar examination last week.

Married, last Saturday, W. D. O'Neal, Sr., to Mrs. Lizzie Frasher.

Aug. 26—Mr. Jay A. Vinson will locate at Logan, W. Va., to practice law.

Born, on the 21st to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Berry, a boy.

Dick Moore was brought from Logan

Birdseye View of Louisa



A little more than twenty years ago the above birdseye view of Louisa was made from the hilltop on the West Virginia side of the Big Sandy. This was before the bridge between Louisa and Fort Gay was built, but when the NEWS had the cut made the bridge was marked on the photograph. The stage of the river was too high to show the lock and dam.

Many changes have taken place since that. Nearly all the open spaces of ground have been built up with houses. But we are

dealing largely this week with the "dim, distant past" and this is perhaps the first picture ever taken of the entire town site.

LOUISA OF TODAY.

Briefly outlined the Louisa of today is as follows:

POPULATION, 2500.

A Board of Trade; Four Churches; Normal and Business College; School of Telegraphy; High School.

Two National Banks; Two Newspapers (linotype equipped); Forty Stores.

Dec. 1.—Mr. P. H. Vaughan has removed his family from Richardson to Louisa.

The average assessed value of land in Lawrence is \$5.74, in Boyd \$12.44, in Floyd \$3.82, Johnson \$4.90, Martin \$1.36, Pike \$2.43.

Dec. 8.—The public road by way of the mouth of Lick creek is almost completed.

Engineer J. C. Thomas, with L. S. Johnson, J. C. Butler, O. S. Horton and Jas. Rice are making a survey of a railroad from Morehead to a point in Morgan county, 32 miles distant.

Dec. 22.—Married, at the residence of Mr. George C. McClure at Gallup, his daughter, Miss Mary, to Mr. E. T. Flinn.

Dec. 29.—Dr. W. T. Atkinson of Paintsville has located in Louisa.

Geo. B. Carey elected captain of State football team for '34.

On the honor rolls of the Louisa public schools are the following:
Ida Billups, teacher:—Bessie Snyder, Carrie Shannon, Jennie Jones, Willie Riggs, Susan Hay, Kate Rose, John Rose, Earl McClure, Stanton Evans, Earl Peters, Wayne Damron, Frank Wilson, Hill Chapman, Mabel Jetter, Lolla Snyder, Carrie Rice, Dora Lyons, Herbert Sammons, Archie McClure.

Maggie Hatcher, teacher:—Hannah O'Brien, Emma McHenry, Hildegarde Roffe, Carrie Snyder, George Vinson, Minnie Bowe, Sadie Burchett, Maud Chaffin, Jay Copley, Ernest Haynes, Grover Meek, Geo. Marcum, Dennis Pigg, Geo. Riggs, Robt. Vinson, Willie Wellman, Reba Wilson, Hattie Marcum, Heman Fulkerson, Alex Lackey, Harry Wellman, Wiley Fitch, Pet Copley, Genoa Wilson, Emma Waldeck, Blanche Gray, Geo. Lewis, Alvin Parsons, Wallace Johns, Jay Drake.

M. E. McHenry, teacher:—Nora Berry, Addie Burchett, Katie Freese, Nora Leonard, Vessie McClure, Lillie McHenry, Emma Northup, Ethel O'Brien, Lockie Pickett, Sadie Reynolds, Ruth Shannon, Anna Strachan, Lena Strachan, Virgie Short, Nellie Yates, Lizzie Yates, Drew Burchett, John Billups, Geo. H. Wroten, Alicia Abbott, Adda Berry, Rebecca Hall, Inez Meek, Amanda McHenry, Ruth Shannon, Willie Fulkerson.

U. S. G. Anderson, Principal:—Luthe Wilson, Maggie Ferguson, Maggie O'Brien, Ethel Chaffin, Grace Eves, Mattie Riggs, Lou Vinson, Charley Ross, Robt. Bickel, Lillian Butler, Lulla Frazier, Ida Holt, Ella Wellman, Nennie Freese, Ernest Shannon, Jno. Hatcher, Geo. Burgess.

1894

Jan. 5.—"Uncle Josh" the play given by Louisa Dramatic Co. made a "hit." Mrs. L. S. Johnson and Mrs. H. C. Sullivan sang two beautiful duets. Miss Carrie Snyder very sweetly sang "Two Little Girls in Blue."

Jan. 19.—Mr. George Strachan and family have moved to Huntington.

Dr. Berry resigned as school superintendent and Robt. S. Billups appointed to fill the vacancy.

Jan. 26.—At an election held Monday a majority of 15 asked for open saloons. It has been more than 11 years since open saloons flourished in Louisa.

Married, at the M. E. Church Wednesday, Miss Bessie Davis and Mr. Joe K. Long.

Feb. 23.—Married, Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. Henry Evans to Miss Victoria Sweetnam.

Mr. D. Brown of the firm of Levine & Brown went to Louisville and was married Sunday.

March 2.—"Sweetbrier or the Flower Girl of New York" was given Tuesday night by the Dramatic Club.

March 16.—John Johnson sold his claim on his property in Oklahoma and has gone further south to see the country.

P. H. Vaughan has put a street lamp on the corner at his store.

Married Tuesday, Mr. Ratio Blankenship to Miss Inez Ratcliff.

March 23.—The Louisa Pickett made its appearance yesterday with R. C. McClure editor.

March 31.—Col. Northup has planted 1500 peach trees this season.

The Paintsville Times is now in the hands of Jas. W. Turner and J. E. Buckingham, two young men of that place.

April 6.—Lieut. W. O. Johnson appointed instructor at West Point.

John M. Rice, Jr., appointed to a clerkship in the Auditors office at Frankfort.

April 13.—P. C. Layne, M. D., is the way it now reads. At the commencement exercises of Ohio Medical College last Thursday the degree was conferred upon him with the highest honors and the faculty prize—a gold medal.

Armistead Burchett, born May 20, 1816, died April 8, 1894. He was born in Floyd county but spent most of his life in Lawrence county.

April 27.—Married, Tuesday at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Willie M. Burgess to M. F. Conley.

Louisa Gun Club met Wednesday and made the following scores: Prichard 10, Ratcliff 16, Anderson 11, Welch 21. Twenty-one birds were shot at.

M. F. Sweetnam shipped today by steamer Jennie George 3000 doz. eggs and 40 doz. chickens. Geo. Sweetnam will go to Pittsburg to dispose of the shipment.

Sam Smith of Louisa and Sam V. Peters of Fort Gay, appointed deputy U. S. Marshals.

Married, on Wednesday, April 25, at the home of the bride's parents at Ezet, Morgan county, Miss Eugene Cockrell to Mr. John M. Rice, Jr.

May 4.—"Coxey's Army," which started from Massillon, Ohio, Easter Sunday arrived in Washington, D. C., April 29th.

The lower floor of Masonic Hall is being remodeled for an opera house.

May 11.—Born, on the 6th, to the wife of W. D. O'Neal, a fine boy—Dana.

May 25.—Snow fell here Sunday the 20th. At Blaine it is reported to be three inches deep and over in West Virginia five inches.

Wm. Holt has a new dray.

Miss Fannie Freese has returned from Cincinnati. Mr. John Thomas has returned from Ironton.

June 1.—Frank Pigg and Miss Sack Osborn were married at this place a few days ago.

Married, May 24, at the residence of the bride's parents at Buchanan, Miss Lizzie Warren and Stanard S. Smith.

June 15.—Married, last Tuesday at the suburban home of Captain M. Freese, Miss Fannie to Mr. John C. Thomas of Ironton, Ohio.

E. R. Westlake died yesterday from injuries received while diving last Monday in the river.

June 22.—Dr. L. H. York of Ft. Gay has purchased the Norris property on Water Street.

Born, to Mrs. E. R. Westlake last Saturday, a boy.

June 29.—One of the attractions for the Fourth is Boss Skaggs, who was born on Blaine 32 years ago. He weighs 527 pounds, 6 feet, 11 inches in height and measures 54 feet around the waist. His arms measure two feet around and his thighs three feet.

Mrs. Geo. Reeder and cousin, Miss Allie Oles, arrived Wednesday.

P. H. Vaughan is preparing to build a store building on Main street, adjoining the post office.

July 6.—Fourth of July Louisa defeated the Kenova base ball team 14 to 0. Ed Reuss and Lindsey Baker formed the battery for Louisa. Geo. Carey won the foot race. Miss Jock Carey of Gallup won the prize as the prettiest lady. The award for the prettiest baby was made to Mrs. Aug Snyder. Mrs. Mary McElrath showed the smallest pair of hands and was given a pair of gloves. Mr. Wm. Carey and nine children were present and secured the prize for the largest family. Gallup won the foot ball game from Cats Fork 16 to 0.

The following teachers have been selected for the Louisa graded schools: U. S. G. Anderson, principal, J. E. McHenry, Miss Maggie Hatcher and Miss Ida Billups.

July 20.—Due to the large crop of blackberries the price dropped to ten cents a bucket.

Ashtand 19, Louisa 10, tells the tale of the base ball game the 14th.

Aug. 24.—Miss Jock Carey is attending the Boyd county teachers institute this week. She will teach in the Catlettsburg schools the coming term.

Aug. 31.—Louisa wins three straight games of base ball from Ironton. The scores were 21-4, 24-16 and 23-15. Will and Robt. Billups, John and Than Baker, Harris Bromley and Welch were among the Louisa players.

Sam Freese has accepted a position as station agent at K. U. Junction on the Lexington division.

Steamer Spurlock burned at Vanceburg Wednesday.

Sept. 31.—Frank Wallace, Jr., has resigned the position of operator and agent at Buchanan to accept a similar one at Kilgore.

George Waldeck and John Burns were thrown from a buggy. John sustained a dislocation of the shoulder.

Sept. 23.—Married last Tuesday at the residence of Mr. N. D. Waldeck his daughter, Miss Dove, to Mr. M. M. Meek of Carrollton, Ky.

Oct. 26.—Married, Wednesday noon, Mr. George R. Vinson to Miss Emma D. Burchett.

Mr. B. P. Cassidy, popular hotel man, will shortly go to Louisa where he will engage in the practice of law.—Martin County Gazette.

Nov. 9.—County officers elected Tuesday were as follows: Woods, Judge; Burns, Attorney; Dixon, Clerk; Shannon, Sheriff; Chaffin, Jailer; Arrington, Assessor; Smith, Surveyor; Hatten, Coroner.

3,800 voters went to the polls Tuesday.

Nov. 23.—Dr. L. B. Dean has located at Adams for the practice of medicine.

Dec. 14.—Married, Wednesday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. John S. Wellman to Miss Lizzie Atkins.

1895

Jan. 11.—M. B. Sparks has been appointed postmaster at Martha to succeed his father, Nelson Sparks, who resigned after being elected Magistrate.

W. A. Copley resigned as marshal and Jas. Vinson, ex-jailer, was appointed.

Jan. 18.—Mary, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. White, died Wednesday after a week's illness of tonsillitis.

Jan. 25.—Logan county, W. Va., has been cut in two and the new county is called "Mingo." Leo. Drake, a Louisa boy, has been appointed county clerk, and Douglas Hughes, brother of A. M. Hughes, deputy.

Died, last Wednesday, at home a few miles from Louisa, Mrs. Millard F. Carter, after a two weeks' illness with fever.

Feb. 1.—Wm. T. Ferguson, who has been express agent here for some time has been given the agency at Catlettsburg.

Feb. 22.—Born last Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Sullivan, a fine son—"Christian Mahone."

Dr. J. F. Reynolds appointed coroner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. J. F. Hatten.

Alex, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kendrick, killed when N. & W. train wrecked at Kenova.

March 1.—"Golden Gulch" was presented by Louisa Dramatic Co.

The fifth wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. French celebrated at the parsonage last Monday.

March 15.—Mr. Floyd McHenry died last Friday after a short illness.

March 22.—Married, at Fallsburg on the 20th, Miss Maggie Hutchinson and Mr. W. J. Vaughan.

March 29.—Nine school houses were built in Lawrence county last year and eleven are in course of construction at present.

April 26.—Mrs. Sarah Poage Rice, wife of Judge John M. Rice, died on Friday, the 19th.

Mrs. A. P. Borders died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Sullivan, on Tuesday, the 23rd.

May 3.—Ex-Police Judge Henry W. Ferguson died suddenly last Friday.

Hunting's circus was in Louisa last week.

May 10.—During the severe storm Sunday evening, lightning struck the residences of L. M. Atkins and M. H. Johns.

June 28.—Miss Nannie Freese, Miss Margaret O'Brien, Miss Maggie M. Ferguson and Miss Mattie Wallace graduated from Louisa High School.

Aug. 2.—Mr. George J. Carter and Miss Lulu Lakin were married Wednesday at the home of the bride in the lower part of the county.

Aug. 16.—Miss Phoebe, second daughter of Col. and Mrs. Jay H. Northup, and Mr. Charles Russell were married yesterday.

Mr. C. E. Reuss and Miss Grace Eves

were married Wednesday.

Sept. 6.—The Big Sandy News changes location. Moves from building in court house square to new building on Main street.

Married, Wednesday evening, Ira Wellman to Miss Lilly Caperton.

Louisa markets for the ending of this week. Eggs 7½c, butter, fresh, 15c, frying chickens 8 1-2c per pound, potatoes 40 to 50c per bushel.

Sept. 13.—D. H. Reid was appointed pastor of the M. E. Church South for the ensuing year.

Died, at his home in Fort Gay, Wm. Davis, 65 years of age.

The public road from Louisa to the Boyd county line is now open.

Sept. 20.—Jas. H. Carey of Kansas is visiting his brother, Wm. Carey, of this place.

Died, Sept. 17, in Catlettsburg, Jno. W. Hughes.

Died, Sept. 18, at his home in Louisa, Judge John M. Rice.

Married, Wednesday evening, at the home of W. T. Holt, Dr. Fred Marcum to Miss Ida Holt.

Sept. 27.—Born, Thursday, to P. H. Vaughan and wife, a daughter.

Married, Sept. 18, Isadore Garrod to Miss Emma Thompson of Blaine.

Water melons are very plentiful and cheap. A good one can be bought for one cent.

Oct. 4.—A. M. Hughes has moved into his new residence on Main street. Born, Sept. 29, to Lloyd Atkins and wife, a girl.

Oct. 4.—John Crutcher and Co. will open a meat market tomorrow.

Oct. 18.—L. S. Johnson and Bas. Hatten have bought a flour mill at Kenova, W. Va., and will move there soon.

Arta Holt of Busseyville died Tuesday night.

Married at White House last Wednesday, Malcolm Burgess to Miss Victoria Elam.

Oct. 25.—Born, last Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lackey, a daughter.

Died, Friday morning at his home about twelve miles above Louisa, Ulyses G. Kise.

Died at her home about six miles from here last Sunday morning, Mrs. W. D. O'Neal, Sr.

Nov. 8.—Died, last Friday night, A. L. Shannon.

Nov. 29.—Married, last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Fort Gay, Robt. Vinson to Miss Lottie Frasher.

Married, last Wednesday, Oliver Sweetnam to Miss Lena Kise.

Died at the home of L. M. Atkins, last Monday, Miss Mattie Riggs.

Mrs. T. O. Johnson of Blaine died Sunday night.

Died, last Sunday evening, Mrs. T. J. Hendrick.

1896

Jan. 10.—The following city officers were elected: City Attorney, H. F. Vinson; Marshal, John Waldeck; Clerk, J. W. Jones; Assessor, John J. Johnson.

Jan. 17.—Three oil wells are being drilled near Blaine.

Jan. 31.—Mrs. Mary McElrath died at her home in Louisa Saturday. She was 54 years of age.

Feb. 7.—Born, to the wife of Dr. Cecil L. Hudgins, of Carter county, a boy.

Died, Monday morning, Mrs. Jordan Cox.

Feb. 14.—Large leap year parties were given by John G. Burns and Forrest L. Stewart at their respective homes.

Feb. 21.—Henry Wright of Kavanagh, died last week of typhoid fever.

Died Wednesday, James Jordan. Born, on the 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Mat Meek, a boy.

March 6.—Ed. Ferguson was appointed city marshal to succeed John Waldeck, who resigned.

John Johnson is taking a course in stenography and type writing at Lexington.

March 13.—Capt. O. C. Bowles dropped dead in the Pikeville court house last week.

Vic Wellman, daughter of Oliver P. Wellman, died Wednesday night.

March 27.—Chas. Hammonds large tobacco barn burned Wednesday night.

March 27.—Walter Atkins was killed by a mule last week.

April 10.—J. C. Thomas, was the lowest bidder for stone work to be done on the Kentucky river.

Married, April 5, Miss Maggie Ferguson to Taylor Billups.

John W. Jones was elected Mayor and John G. Burns elected clerk by the city council.

April 17.—Died, last Friday, Mrs. Eliza McGuire, 92 years of age.

Mont Goble, Jr., has been chosen cashier of the Big Sandy National Bank of Catlettsburg.

April 24.—Married, A. H. McClure to Miss Miriam Hatcher.

Married, Thursday morning in Louisville, Major D. J. Burchett to Miss Anna L. Rogan.

May 8.—A. L. Chambers has moved his grocery store from Huntington to Louisa.

The fourth producing oil well has been drilled near Prestonburg.

May 15.—Robt. Dixon has a new grist mill on Main Cross and Perry streets.

The Judge John M. Rice residence was burned early Friday morning.

May 22.—Died, Mrs. Heston, aged 93 years.

Lieut. W. O. Johnson assigned to the 19th Infantry.

May 29.—Born, on the 25th to W. J. Vaughan and wife, a daughter.

Married, Wednesday evening at Ft. Gay, Taylor Peters and Miss Belle Wellman.

Miss Neva Stewart graduated from Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn., this week.

Judge J. W. Rice, died last Sunday afternoon at his home.

June 12.—Fred Shannon left Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., where he has a position in the Southern Methodist Publishing House. He will enter Vanderbilt University as soon as possible.

June 19.—Married, Wednesday, G. Fred Gallup, of Catlettsburg to Miss Jeannette Atkinson.

July 3.—Miss Elodie Thomas gave a birthday party at her home on her tenth birthday.

July 17.—Sam Freese has been promoted in the Lexington office of the C. & O. R. R.

Jeff Justice has been appointed operator at Aden, on the Lexington division of the C. & O.

July 31.—The following teachers will have charge of the public schools: Prof. U. S. G. Anderson, principal, Miss Mattie Wallace, first assistant, Miss Belle Burgess second assistant, Miss Ella McHenry, Monday, Aug. 31 will be the day school opens.

Aug. 7.—The New Domain Oil and Gas Co. struck a strong gas well on right Beaver last week.

The Blaine and Louisa Telephone Co., was incorporated this week with H. H. Gamhill, president, Lefe Carter, Sec. J. P. Ratcliff, Treas.

Aug. 14.—Died, yesterday at her home on Little Blaine, Mrs. James Carter.

Died at Gallup a few days ago, Mrs. Hiram Cartmel.

Miss Jock Carey will again teach in the public schools of Catlettsburg.

Aug. 21.—Born, on the 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garred, a daughter.

W. G. Rathbone, the lock tender, arrived here with his family Friday.

Aug. 28.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Conley, on the 24th, a boy.

Louisa has a new hoop factory and it is now ready for business.

The circuit court has been engaged almost all week upon a case in which about \$20 worth of land is involved. It is said the suit will cost each side over \$200.

The annual meeting of the grand lodge of "Mules" was held at Greenup. The Big Sandy train made the trip through to Greenup, returning later than the regular time.

A telephone line is being erected between Charley and Adams, connecting at Adams with the Louisa-Blaine Telephone line.

Marshall J. B. Peters took some men to the Louisville Jail. They sold liquor without government license.

Died, W. O. Johnson, 21, son of H. F. Johnson of Peach Orchard. Burial in Boyd county.

Also, Willie Elderman, 20, at home of parents near Louisa. Ranked high as teacher.

Public school opens next Monday. Compulsory law in effect.

Rev. D. H. Held went to Lewis county to officiate at wedding of Rev. E. C. Switzer.

Mrs. G. W. Castle returned to Washington, D. C. after visit here.

Miss Maggie O'Brien will teach near Lockwood, Floyd county.

Dick Johnson returned to Lexington as instructor at State College.

Lieut. W. O. Johnson receives orders to report at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

Sept. 11.—Jeff Justice has been installed at Peach Orchard as railroad agent.

Judge Kinner made a very welcome order by which the jury men got the money due them for services at the present term of court.

A fatal and horrible accident occurred near here Monday. Ex-Sheriff Jack Wilson when at work in his saw mill was caught by a large circular saw and was so horribly mangled that death ensued five hours afterwards.

Jno. C. Burchett returned to Centre College at Danville.

Louisa Twenty Years Ago

The Lawrence County Oil Fields produce 1,000,000 bbls. of high grade Light Somerset Oil annually, and more than fifty rigs are drilling wells at this time.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND UTILITIES

Paved Streets; Water Works; Sewerage System; Natural Gas; Bell Telephone System.

INDUSTRIES

Planing Mill; Machine Shops; Modern Bakery; Bottling Works; Ice Plant; Flour-

ing Mill; Four Modern Garages; Two Electric Plants.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

Two railroads, Chesapeake & Ohio and Norfolk & Western. Ten passenger trains daily.

Slackwater navigation to the Ohio river.

Mayo Trail, hard surfaced highway, built with State and Federal money, now under construction from Ashland to Virginia line. Same kind of road from Fort Gay to Huntington.

1897

Jan. 1.—Died, Mrs. Clabe Swetnam at Blaine.
 Mrs. Sol Williamson near Louisa.
 Miss Charlotte Freese composed a two step, "Come Dance With Me."
 The lock and dam at this place is practically completed after many years.
 Jan. 8.—Born, to Taylor Hillups and wife a son.
 Died, Geo. Peck, who lived 9 miles from here.
 Died, Mrs. Ada Borders, wife of John Borders in Fleming county; Ben F. Webb of Webbville; Graham Wilson, aged 67, of Glasgow.
 Jan. 15.—Married, near Fort Gay, Edgar Lear and Miss Alice Frazier.
 Jan. 15.—Born, to W. N. Sullivan and wife a girl.
 Died, in Portsmouth, Mrs. Susan Cummings, mother of Mrs. L. T. McClure and John Cummings.
 Died, Dr. Levi Sparks, 65, of the upper Blaine section.
 Jan. 29.—Born, to C. J. Wilson and wife a girl.
 Louisa went dry last Monday by a majority of 20. The license of saloons will expire in March.
 Feb. 5.—Friday was the coldest night—12 below zero.
 Married, Frank A. Johnson and Miss Inez Meek.
 Feb. 12.—Samuel T. Dean and Miss Alice Cooksey married.
 Feb. 19.—F. H. Yates qualified as special police judge of Louisa.
 Lieut. W. O. Johnson and Miss Mary Frances Norton married at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
 F. R. Huesey went to Florida to accompany H. Webb home.
 Feb. 26.—Born, to C. M. Crutcher and wife, a daughter.
 Jas. Hammond, 68, died at Fort Gay.
 On Tuesday night Big Sandy river reached the highest stage since 1862.
 L. B. Ferguson, assistant postmaster, went to Catlettsburg to dispatch the mail by boat as train service stopped Tuesday.
 John W. Woods of Webbville comes to Louisa to read law.
 Married, Jno. C. Mayo and Miss Alice Meek at Paintsville recently.
 March 5.—Born, to Jasper Roberts and wife twin girls.
 Died, Claude Graham, 31, son of Mart Graham of Huntington.
 Miss Alice Peters left for Parkersburg to take a business course.
 Died, Mrs. Georgia Johnson Kendrick, in Missouri.
 Steamer Favorite sunk at Georges creek.
 March 12.—Born, to G. R. Vinson and wife, a daughter.
 Married, Miss Nannie Watson and Charley Hays. They will live at Willard.
 W. O. Johnson promoted to First Lieutenant and transferred to Logan county.
 March 19.—Marriage of Miss Ida Vinson and Harry Watts, last October just announced.
 March 26.—Louisa I. O. O. F. Lodge will erect building on lot opposite Brunswick hotel.
 April 2.—Born, to John Crutcher and wife, a daughter; to Jack Johnson and wife a boy.
 New train service now in effect.
 April 9.—Frank Kise, 18, died near mouth of Georges creek.
 Mrs. Josie Rico returns from visit to sister at Washington.
 April 16.—Born, to Thos. Asch and wife, a girl.
 Married, L. H. Ferguson and Miss Lillian Butler.
 April 23.—Fred Shannon, a portage of the NEWS, is making his mark down in Tennessee. The last honor conferred upon him was his election to represent his school at the international meeting, Y. M. C. A. in Knoxville.
 May 14.—Lum Price had a finger cut off when putting "needles" in the dam.
 May 21.—Jas. A. Abbott is appointed postmaster here.
 Louisa Dramatic Society chartered by Mrs. L. S. Johnson went to Catlettsburg on the Big Baya and returned "Gollights Courtship."

May 28.—After a five months illness Judge O'Brien was able to be out in a carriage.
 Luther Walter made the highest general average in teachers examination.
 May 28.—John M. Waugh, a young lawyer and Miss Annie Prater of Grayson marry.
 W. M. Connolly, attorney of Pike, dies suddenly.
 June 4.—Born, to Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Woods, a boy.
 Died, Mrs. Jas. A. Frazier, 46, at Ft. Gay.
 June 11.—Born, to L. H. Suddith and wife, a daughter.
 The valuable property in Martin county containing the famous gas wells and coal veins was sold at public sale. Leo Brigel was the successful bidder at \$65,000.
 Married, Ora C. Atkins and Miss Lilly Vaughan.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. R. B. Chapman have some very superior specimens of roses which attract much attention.
 June 18.—Mrs. Frank Hedge, widow elected school trustee at mouth of Blaine, the only woman trustee in county.
 Jerry Riffe has built through his farm a good road 1/4 mile long, for the public, at his own expense.
 June 25.—The following have bought new bicycles this season: Misses Emma Northup, Carrie and Hattie Snyder, Binche, Gray, Lella Snyder and Heloise Thomas, Geo. Wroten, John Burns, Geo. Gunnell and Gelger Burchett.
 June 25.—John W. Woods and Lela Carter received highest grades in teachers examination.
 July 2.—Marshall Sammons is running the small boys in early in the evenings now.
 July 9.—Company organized in Cincinnati to pipe natural gas from Warfield, Ky., to Cincinnati.
 A select party of 12 Fort Gay people rendered "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at that place, for the benefit of the church fund.
 July 16.—Infant of Dan Blankenship dies of meningitis.
 July 23.—Dr. J. C. Graham locates at Charley.
 The first car of coal from the new coal mines at Whitehouse shipped.
 July 30.—Married, John Stump and Miss Lizzy Blankenship.
 The Klondike gold fever has a hold on some of our people.
 R. C. McClure arrives from Washington with commission as appraiser of public lands.
 July 30.—Louisa schools to begin Sept. 6. Prof. Percy Barnes, principal, Misses Matie Wallace, Belle Burgess and Maggie O'Brien assistants.
 Aug. 6.—Capt. Fred McHenry starts soon on annual trip with government snag boat.
 J. W. M. Stewart joins partnership with John F. Hager of Ashland.
 The poles for telephone line Louisa to Catlettsburg are set.
 May 7.—Died, Mrs. L. F. Kinner at Catlettsburg.
 Five generations assembled at the homes of T. J. Burgess and D. W. Garner at Gallup.
 May 14.—Died, near Louisa, Mrs. Peter Welch.
 Married, at Ironton, Mr. Plippin and Miss Gracie Snow.
 Aug. 20.—One of the "Red Onion" whiskey boats was burned near Louisa.
 J. C. Burchett left for Seattle, Wash., and Klondike.
 Reception given teachers of county by young men of Louisa and Dr. M. G. Watson superintendent of school, Institute week.
 Aug. 27.—Married, Lon Hewlett and Virgie Burton.
 Sept. 3.—Born, to H. C. Sammons and wife, a daughter.
 There will soon be a new telephone line from Louisa to Catlettsburg.
 F. L. Stewart and John W. Woods have passed the bar examination and have their license to practice law.
 Sept. 10.—Married, A. P. Borders, 67, to Miss Kate Price, 58.
 Died, Friday morning, A. L. Chambers.

Sept. 17.—Born, to John Wellman and wife, a boy.
 D. C. Spencer and John Crutcher have opened a grocery store.
 Married, John B. Spencer to Mrs. Jale Wallace.
 Sept. 24.—Red Onion raided and proprietor gets fullest extent of law.
 Oct. 1.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas on Wednesday, a boy.
 Oct. 8.—Married, Dr. P. C. Layne to Miss Pearl A. Leach of Cynthiana Thursday of last week.
 The Eloise Improvement Co. is the name of a new store opened here.
 Nov. 5.—The result of the city election in Louisa—Police Judge, R. E. Lee, Mayor James Rose, Council—W. N. Sullivan, P. H. Vaughan, L. B. Ferguson, H. G. Burchett, J. C. Butler and Jas. Hale.
 Nov. 5.—Drowned, Will York, son of Dr. L. H. York, last Tuesday.
 Married, Wednesday, Jeff McClure to Miss Minnie Bove.
 Nov. 12.—Wayne Bromley left Monday for Cincinnati to study medicine.
 Married, Jay Roberts to Miss Ella Holley.
 John Johnson was elected State Senator.
 Nov. 26.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Snyder, a son.
 Dec. 31.—The Louisa Normal School in charge of Prof. P. S. Barnes will open January 31.
 Jan. 21.—Born, Jan. 20, to Gus Muncey and wife, a boy.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dixon, a daughter.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russell of Ashland, a daughter.
 Feb. 25.—Born, on the 19th, to fra Wellman and wife, a daughter.
 Jasper Vanhoose and family have moved from Johnson county to the J. C. Johns farm.
 March 4.—Born, to Ely Fitch and wife, a daughter.
 Born, March 1, to M. S. Burns and wife, a daughter—Kizzie Clay.
 Died, Feb. 26, Mrs. Alice Frazier Lear.
 March 18.—O. C. Atkins has closed out his store on Blaine and is now at Louisa.
 M. G. Watson is superintendent of schools in this county.
 April 8.—Died, Saturday, Mrs. Lela Carter.
 April 15.—Stave factory will soon be started in Louisa.
 April 22.—Born, on the 19, to Frank Johnson and wife, a boy.
 W. D. O'Neal moves to Ceredo to practice law with his father-in-law.
 April 29.—Dick Stone joined the army Friday.
 There was a company of volunteers made up here. It was not ordered out but was converted into a cavalry troop. Only 76 out of the 103 were accepted.
 May 13.—Born, to the wife of J. B. Peters, a boy.
 Wayne Bromley graduated Tuesday from a Medical College in Cincinnati. He ranked second in a class of forty-eight.
 May 20.—Forty volunteers left here Wednesday for Tampa, Florida. They were: Nicholas Arnett, John H. Baker, John D. Bartram, James N. Bordin, Frank G. Bradley, Landon E. Bradley, Lafayette Carter, Alonzo Carter, Harlan Chapman, John Chapman, Walter L. Dalton, Charles G. Davis, Claude P. Fritzell, Elijah N. Gambill, Hezekiah Hinkney, Wilburn Hall, Luther G. Haws, Hezekiah Haws, Leander Howard, Elwood Hutchison, Henry H. Johns, Charles Justice, Commodore Kise, Millard Kitchen, Nicholas B. McGuire, Charles Peterman, Commodore Pope, William B. Powell, John B. Raines, Edgar A. Ratcliffe, Barney Reynolds, John Roberts, Tilden F. Skaggs, George H. Skeens, Jimson T. Skeens, Arthur J. Sloan, Peter Smith, Felix M. Thompson, Charles T. Vaughan, Harrison G. Vicars, Eugene Wellman, Ralph Wilson.
 Standard Oil Co.'s warehouse burned last Saturday.
 Miss Maggie Yates has opened an ice cream parlor in the room just below Shannon's barber shop.

May 20.—Robt. Hartman is now fore man of the Eloise farm.
 May 27.—Died, Wednesday, N. C. Waldeck. He was 87 years of age.
 June 3.—Doug Hughes has been appointed Governor, made a speech here today.
 June 10.—Misses Esther Sprague and Lillian McHenry graduate from Louisa High School.
 June 30.—Married, Wednesday, near Virginia volunteers.
 June 17.—Born, to H. B. Hewlett and wife, a daughter.
 June 24.—The post office was moved.
 July 1.—Lieut. J. K. Dixon and Corp. Jay A. Vinson were in Louisa Monday and Tuesday recruiting for the Third Kentucky Volunteers. Twenty-seven men applied for enlistment and twenty were accepted. Their names are: Robert Hawkins, Thomas Grady, Richard F. Moore, Malcolm Rice, Albert T. Rowe, Wm. S. Williams, Wayne F. Diamond, Herbert Vanhoose, Polk Pendleton, Car Crabtree, Willey Preston, Henry Phillips, Harry Castle, John H. Abbott, James F. Holbrook, Victor H. Caperton, Ulysses S. Pigg, Jay N. Drake, Corbin L. Miller, Frank Heston. This makes about 80 men who have gone from Lawrence county, into the new Odd Fellows building.
 July 8.—Wm. Carey will move his family to Louisa soon.
 Married, last Wednesday, Prof. J. R. Johnson to Miss Nancy Smith of Cynthiana, Ky.
 July 15.—Married, Edwin W. Felix to Miss Mary Vinson.
 The teachers of the Louisa public school for the ensuing year are: P. S. Barnes, principal; Miss Matie Wallace, Belle Burgess, Jock Carey and Maggie O'Brien.
 Died, Henry S. Bussey, also John M. Ferguson.
 Sept. 2.—Born, on the 20th, to W. N. Sullivan and wife, daughter No. 2.
 The Louisa Produce Company opens branch house in Paintsville with R. L. Vinson in charge.
 Will S. Land and wife are visiting relatives in Mt. Sterling.
 Misses Herma and Emma Northup left yesterday for school. Miss Herma will attend in Buffalo, N. Y., and Miss Emma will go to Fort Edward.
 Sept. 5.—Died, last Saturday morning, Miss Minnie Abbott.
 Lieut. Arnett, Nic McGuire, John Abbott, Charley Vaughan, Henry Johns, John Baker and Barney Reynolds are home on a furlough.
 Sept. 16.—E. Z. Switzer was appointed pastor of the M. E. Church South for the ensuing year.
 Sept. 23.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Johnson Monday, a daughter—Rachel Zenetta.
 Henry Snyder, who graduated from Centre College this year, has gone to New York to enter Columbia University.
 Sergeant Jay Vinson is home on a furlough.
 Sept. 30.—Born, on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Billups, a boy.
 Oct. 7.—Born, to F. H. Yates and wife, a daughter.
 Dr. E. H. Porter has been appointed assistant surgeon in the U. S. army.
 The laying of the gas pipe line from the Warfield gas field to the Ohio river, through Louisa, is begun.
 Married, on Wednesday evening, Dr. G. N. Waldeck to Miss Mary Harris.
 Married, Wednesday, Mont Holt to Miss Ella Wellman.
 Oct. 14.—Miss Katherine Wroten has been appointed a nurse in the army hospital at Jacksonville, Fla., and left Wednesday for that place.
 Oct. 21.—Jay Vinson of this place has been commissioned by Gov. Bradley as Second Lieutenant of the Third Kentucky Infantry.
 Nov. 11.—John W. Jones, Jr. died of fever in Porto Rico.
 Nov. 18.—Miss Maggie Yates is now conducting an oyster parlor in the Gunnel building.
 Dec. 2.—A stave factory will be put on Little Blaine by the Standard Oil Company.
 Dec. 9.—Died, Dec. 1, Mrs. Mary, Davis, wife of Jed Davis.
 Married in Huntington, W. Va., last Tuesday at the home of the bride, H. G. Burchett of this place to Miss Sallie R. Slatten.
 H. G. Burchett has resigned as assistant cashier of the Bank of Louisa. Alex Lackey, Jr., will be employed in the bank after January 1.
 The "Louisa Lion" is a new newspaper in Louisa, size 4x6 inches, and is edited by two Louisa boys, George Gunnell, age 11, and Ed Spencer, age 9.
 Dec. 16.—Married, Wednesday evening, Morris McClure to Miss Melbie McHenry.
 Dec. 30.—Dr. Wayne Bromley has moved from Cassville to Louisa.
 Married, Wm. Sammons to Miss Minnie Roberts of Madge.

1899

Jan. 6.—James Carey was elected to fill the position of individual bookkeeper of the Bank of Louisa.
 Jan. 13.—W. L. Moore, son of Tip Moore, who is now finishing a medical course at St. Louis, took first prize for the best article on typhoid fever.
 Jan. 20.—Big Sandy river gets \$275,000 appropriation from the Government for the building of lock and dam.
 Jan. 27.—Died, of membranous croup last Friday morning, Minnie Heston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Heston.
 Feb. 3.—The Louisa Furniture Co., with E. E. Shaanon, manager, is a new firm just opening for business.
 Feb. 3.—Died, at her home in Cassville Monday, Mrs. Amanda Frazier, aged 75 years.
 Feb. 17.—Died, Monday evening, Mrs. David M. Ward.
 Feb. 24.—Married, Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waldeck, Mr. T. S. Thompson to Miss Maria Waldeck.
 March 17.—Died at his home at Lockwood Station, last Saturday, John Lockwood, 64 years of age.
 March 31.—Born, to D. C. Spencer and wife, a 12 pound boy.
 April 14.—Married, Wednesday, Mr. F. L. Enslow to Miss Martha McClure. Died, Miss Sarah Shortridge, Tuesday evening.
 Married, at the home of Mr. T. J. Burgess at Gallup, Dr. Thos. D. Burgess, of Charleston, W. Va., to Miss Willie Burgess.
 April 21.—Married, this morning, Jno. C. Hatcher to Miss Julia McNeal of Rush.
 Married, Mr. Ben Kise to Mrs. Laura B. Castle, daughter of Thos. Maynard of Georges creek.
 April 28.—George Wroten left Tuesday for New York where he has employment.

Married, Wednesday evening, at Ironton, O., Mr. Allen O. Carter to Miss Belle Burgess.
 June 2.—Wm. Goebel, candidate for Governor, made a speech here today.
 June 9.—Married, in Cincinnati, O., Wednesday, Edgar B. Hager to Miss Lucy Prichard.
 June 30.—Married, Wednesday, near Gallup, Bascom Muncy to Miss Mary Elizabeth Shannon.
 July 14.—Born, to W. A. Copley and wife, a girl.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Gray, on the 10th, a girl.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe York of Cassville, a boy.
 Gas has been piped into Louisa and will soon be used for light and fuel by the people.
 July 21.—Married, Robt. A. McKee to Miss Genoa Wilson.
 Fred F. Shannon has entered the ministry.
 Aug. 11.—A home talent play known as the "Old Mads Convention" will be played here next Tuesday evening.
 Sept. 1.—Died, Mrs. Wm. S. DeRossett, 34.
 The thermometer registered 100 Wednesday, the hottest day of the year.
 Sept. 8.—Major D. J. Burchett and wife and two daughters, Mrs. J. E. Ratcliff and Miss Addie, left for Washington and New York, accompanied by Miss Mary Patterson.
 Sept. 15.—On last Saturday night the T. S. State Gas Company turned on natural gas in Louisa for the first time. Five stores were ready for illumination. Everybody is delighted with the beautiful lights.
 Sept. 22.—Mrs. H. C. Osborn and Misses Tennie Prince and Maggie Hatten went to Louisville as delegates to the State Sunday School Convention.
 Sept. 29.—Walter Miller and Miss May Shortridge marry at Glenwood.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Horton at Dallas, Pa., son No. 2.
 Married, D. L. Thompson and Samantha Blackburn.
 Moses Skaggs of Irad had his own funeral preached on his 69th birthday.
 Oct. 6.—Dr. Jas. D. Biggs and Miss Adelaide Burchett marry. Church wedding.
 Died, Mrs. Elizabeth See, 70; John Salyer, 12, son of T. S. Salyer, Jr.
 Oct. 13.—Died, May Kinaster, eight, daughter of Jacob Kinaster, Ft. Gay.
 Oct. 27.—Born, to John Crutcher and wife, a boy.
 Died, Mrs. W. A. Copley at Potter.
 Married, Dr. Morton G. Watson and Miss Nancy Freese.
 The County Fair and Institute Friday and Saturday.
 Nov. 3.—Married, Benton Reynolds and Miss Dora Boggs.
 David Mead, 28, suicided by drowning.
 Nov. 10.—Born, to Henry Evans and wife, a son.
 Nov. 10.—Born, to M. F. Conley and wife on the 8th, a daughter.
 A. J. Lear sold his residence to G. R. Chapman for \$2200. G. R. B. Chapman's residence and business property on Main Cross street was purchased by Dr. L. H. York for \$2100.
 Nov. 17.—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson in Lexington—Vinson Smith.
 J. Floyd Wellman and Miss Betty Wilson marry.
 Golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. McClure celebrated at Gallup.
 John Holley was killed by electric car at Clayfield.
 Nov. 24.—John C. Burchett arrives home. Had been in Seattle and Klondike two years and three months.
 Mexie Carey able to walk about after illness of eight weeks with fever.
 Married at Blaine, C. R. Holbrook and Miss Nora B. Gartin.
 Dec. 1.—A Masonic charm lost about 15 years ago by K. F. Vinson was returned to him recently from Rowan county. His name was engraved on it.
 Rev. C. W. Shearer died suddenly at Wayne.
 Dec. 8.—Capt. W. O. Johnson will start from New York about January 1 for the Philippines with 1000 recruits.
 Dec. 15.—A Big Sandy pearl worth \$35 was found by Mat Rowe who was with the U. S. surveying party.
 Mrs. Frank Blevins dies at Whitehouse.
 Henry Bussey, who attends school at Lexington is at home.
 Dec. 29.—Born, to Wm. Sammons and wife, a boy.
 Married, Bascom Hale and Miss Lou Wallace; Jas. H. Johns and Mary Yates.

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Jan. 5.—Miss Neva Stewart gave a crockmole party.
 Married, Dr. W. W. Fugitt and Miss Anna M. Luman at Maysville.
 Married, Miss Ruth Peters and John Arttrip.
 Jan. 12.—Born, to Rev. Donahoe and wife, a son.
 L. M. Walter went to Washington where he was assigned to duty in the agricultural division, Census Bureau.
 Chas. F. See went to Yazoo, Miss. Was gone just five days, spent three days there.
 J. F. Wellman badly injured by wreck of meter at saw mill.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reeder, a son, at Muscatine, Iowa.
 Married, Geo. B. Carey of New York City, and Miss Katherine Jewett Reed of Lexington.
 Jan. 12.—John and Grenville O'Brien, sons of James O'Brien or Cordell were killed in coal mine in Boyd county.
 Jan. 19.—Bishop L. W. Burton preaches here.
 Born, to Dr. G. N. Waldeck and wife a son.
 Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Snyder celebrate 15th anniversary.
 Married, Frank Diamond and Stella Ellis to each other second time.
 Jan. 26.—Mrs. M. H. Johns, 48, died last Thursday.
 Jan. 26.—Died, in Floyd county, Stephen Lear, brother of A. J. and F. H. Lear.
 Feb. 2.—Married, Chas. F. Osborn and Miss Ethel Evans at Prosperity.
 Feb. 9.—Died, in Catlettsburg, Calvin Wellman, aged 72.
 Married, John J. Johnson and Miss Jock Carey.
 Feb. 16.—Truman Wilson arrives from Manila.
 Died, John Bromley, 85, in Cassville.
 Feb. 23.—Born, to Chas. Ross and wife a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Florence Enslow of Huntington, a girl.

Mrs. Enslow was Miss Matie McClure of Gallup.
 Feb. 23.—M. F. Conley, delegate from Kentucky to National Editorial Association, left accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Augustus Snyder, for New Orleans, to attend the meeting.
 Died, at Gallup, T. J. Burgess, 64.
 March 9.—R. C. McClure and daughter, Miss Vessie, left for Santa Fe, New Mexico, where Mr. McClure will enter upon his duties as inspector of Forestry.
 April 20.—Born to Robt. Dixon and wife on the 20th, a boy.
 Born to H. C. Sammons and wife, a boy.
 April 27.—Born to A. O. Carter and wife, a daughter.
 May 25.—Manley C. Warren of Buchanan has just graduated from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, with the highest honors of his class.
 June 8.—Died suddenly at his home just below Louisa, Wm. Fulkerson, age 52, Thursday.
 J. C. Thomas was lowest bidder on lock No. 1 in the Big Sandy river.
 June 22.—Died at his home near here Thursday, Lela Carter.
 July 20.—Teachers for the Louisa Graded School; Prof. C. C. Hill, principal, Matie Wallace, Maggie O'Brien, Esther Sprague and Lillian McHenry, assistants.
 Aug. 3.—Born to Dr. M. G. Watson and wife a son; to L. B. Ferguson and wife, a daughter; to Ira Wellman and wife, a daughter.
 Sept. 14.—Born the 7th to Ora Atkins and wife, a boy—Luther Borders.
 Sept. 27.—G. W. Howes was appointed pastor of the M. E. Church here, of Louisa.
 Oct. 5.—Married, Oct. 3rd, D. J. Burchett, Jr., to Miss Gertrude Carey.
 Oct. 12.—Married, Tuesday, James McCloskey to Miss Carrie Kinner.
 Oct. 19.—Married, Wednesday, John G. Burns to Miss Carrie Snyder.
 Nov. 2.—Born to the wife of J. C. Johnson, a boy.
 Nov. 16.—M. L. Conley whose leg was broken in August is just out of the Lexington hospital.
 Nov. 23.—Died, Sunday, Mr. Allen P. Borders.
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 Jan. 4.—Born to the wife of W. O. Johnson, a daughter.
 Alex. Lackey has been elected president of the Bank of Louisa.
 Jan. 18.—Died at her home yesterday, Mrs. Christina Bussey, age 86.
 Jan. 25.—A new wholesale grocery under the name of Watson, Dixon & Moore has been established here.
 Born Thursday to W. H. Moore and wife, a boy.
 Feb. 1.—Died, Jan. 24th, Mrs. Mary S. Wallace.
 Feb. 8.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Land, at Whitehouse, a boy.
 Died, on the 4th, Mrs. Rebekah Goble.
 March 15.—Died at his home, Fred McHenry, age 64 years.
 March 29.—Born Wednesday to Wm. Remmele and wife, a son; on the 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hager, a daughter.
 April 5.—Prof. C. C. Hill and Miss Matie Wallace opened a select school Monday.
 Died, near Cassville, Wednesday, Miss Eva Frazier.
 April 12.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson a boy.
 The Arlington Hotel is now run by C. C. Cassidy.
 April 19.—Married, Wm. Horn of Ashland to Miss Julia Copley.
 May 3.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas, on the 26th a daughter.
 Died at his home Wednesday morning, John Conley, age 55 years.
 May 10.—Died, at his timber camp near Logan, W. Va., Levi M. Atkins, last Friday.
 Died, last Thursday, Jacob H. Peters.
 Married in New York J. Frank Rodarmor of that city, to Miss Katherine Wroten of Louisa.
 Married, April 28th, in New Orleans, Leo Frank to Miss Norma Breuholt.
 June 6.—Geo. R. Burgess returned from college at Lexington last week.
 June 14.—George Carey and wife, who have been living in South America for several months, have arrived in New York.
 July 5.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Billups, a daughter.
 July 12.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chapman on the 10th, a boy.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Evans a daughter.
 July 19.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sammons a boy.
 Jas. L. Carey left for New York to accept a position there.
 Died at her home Wednesday, Mrs. H. E. Evans.
 July 26.—Born to Lys Carey and wife a boy.
 Aug. 9.—Died, last Friday at the residence of her son-in-law Augustus Snyder, Mrs. Julia Burgess, 63 years of age.
 Aug. 23.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bromley, a daughter.
 Aug. 30.—Married, Prof. J. Bascom McClure to Miss Mary Chaffin.
 Sept. 6.—Mr. C. L. Miller of Cincinnati has accepted the position of stenographer and assistant bookkeeper for Col. Northup.
 Mutual Protection Society held a big rally Tuesday.
 President McKinley shot by Czolgoz at Buffalo exposition. He died the 14th.
 Sept. 20.—Albert Murray of this place and Miss Nancy Pyles of Whites creek were married Wednesday.
 Evelyn, 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Cora Abbott Robertson, died suddenly at Culpepper, Va., Tuesday of last week.
 Sept. 27.—About noon Monday Oliver Wellman fell from a trestle four miles from Louisa and sustained dangerous injuries.
 Mr. A. M. Campbell is assistant engineer in charge of Big Sandy river.
 Oct. 4.—M. L. Conley appointed superintendent of the Ohio & Kentucky railroad at Cannel City, Morgan county.
 Harria' Nickle Plate Shows in Louisa today.
 Oct. 11.—Married last Saturday at the home of the bride Mr. Fred Wellman of Buchanan and Miss Reba Wilson.
 A passenger train will be put on Big Sandy division next Monday. C. W. Myers will be conductor and T. C. Senger engineer.
 Oct. 25.—B. P. Casandy has sold the furniture of the Arlington hotel to J. P. Gartin, who has taken charge.

Rev. F. F. Shannon, the new pastor of St. John, Va., preached his first sermon there last Sunday.

Nov. 8.—Entire Democratic ticket elected in Lawrence county.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Burns entertained Halloween in honor of Miss Lillian McHenry and Miss Vessie McClure of Santa Fe, N. M.

Nov. 20.—Married, last Tuesday, Miss Sallie Fessie to Mr. Robert Starr Magee of Cincinnati.

Dec. 6.—John Hatcher, little son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Billups, died Tuesday of diphtheria.

Dec. 13.—Senator J. J. Johnson has resigned the position of private secretary to Congressman Kehoe, and has employment with J. C. C. Mayo.

Dec. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Bradbury announced the marriage of their daughter, Anna, to Mr. Luther Mason Walter, Thursday, December 12, Arlington, Va.

Dec. 27.—Col. Northup presented an elegant desk Christmas by his employees.

Al Hays, the new jailer, has moved into town.

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Jan. 10.—D. C. Spencer has sold his grocery store to Ed Ferguson and Millard Chambers.

M. C. Watson sells interest in Watson, Dixon, Moore & Co., to Robert Dixon.

Jan. 24.—Mrs. Lucie Prichard Hager died in Louisa last Monday.

Jan. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure announce the marriage of their daughter, Elvessa, to Robert Sheldon Mauger, on Thursday, January 23rd, Washington, D. C.

Feb. 14.—Oliver P. Wellman died last Friday at his home in Louisa.

N. & W. preparing to build a railroad down Tug river.

James Vinson and family have moved to Catlettsburg.

Feb. 21.—Robert W. Vinson and Miss Rosa Shannon were married last Saturday.

Feb. 28.—Miss Quinn Shannon and Mr. Rice McClure married in Ironton Saturday.

Mrs. Mary L. Roberts Holt died at the home of her father near Louisa.

March 7.—Frank Tyree and Louis Schmidt, well known traveling men, drowned near Pikeville. Ed Burke had a narrow escape.

Mrs. Martha McClure Enslow died in Huntington Monday.

N. & W. surveying corps moved their camps to Cassville.

Eighteen inches of snow here.

Coffer dam at Lock No. 2 washed away.

March 21.—Body of Louis Schmidt found last Saturday.

Engineer Boliver Wesley was fatally injured, fireman Springer and conductor Blevins injured when a freight train fell through a trestle one mile above Richardson Wednesday.

Harry Wellman is now employed as clerk at the Brunswick.

March 28.—D. C. Spencer and family moved to Catlettsburg Tuesday.

A. T. Emmett arrested for the robbery of the Louisa postoffice Dec. 29, 1900.

April 4.—Mr. Albert Mason Campbell and Miss Neva Sharon Stewart were married at the M. E. Church South at noon Wednesday.

Body of Frank Tyree found Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Butler has moved his family from Catlettsburg to Louisa.

Next Tuesday the J. O. U. A. M. will lay the corner stone of their new building.

April 11.—Mrs. L. B. Ferguson passed away Wednesday.

Little Chris Sullivan received the prize for perfect attendance at term of public school ending April 3. He was the only child out of 250 who has not been tardy or has missed an hour.

The family of James Rose left Monday for Fulda, Minn. Mr. Rose has a position as miller there.

April 25.—Officials of C. & O. say line will be extended from Whitehouse to the Breaks as rapidly as men and money will do it.

May 2.—Mrs. R. F. Vinson died at her home near Louisa Sunday night.

A. M. Hughes, the new postmaster, took charge yesterday. Miss Ida Billups is his deputy.

Steamer Jennie George sunk at Eng land Hill.

May 16.—Ceredo, W. Va. suffered heavily from fire Tuesday. 17 houses, the power plant of the Camden Electric Railway, and the Millender box factory were destroyed.

May 30.—Contract to build extension of C. & O. from Whitehouse to the Breaks let to Langhorn & Langhorn on the 21st.

June 6.—Miss Carrie Rice and Mr. Will Wheaton of Huntington were married in Ironton.

Mr. B. F. Thomas sells his residence to R. L. Vinson and buys the Evans brick.

Miss Ella McHenry and Mr. J. F. Davis of Prestonsburg, married in Louisa Tuesday.

June 13.—Married, last evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Reba Lackey, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Q. Lackey, to Mr. Harry Corna of Ironton.

June 27.—Buckskin Bill's show was here last week.

Miss Jean McClure awarded the gold medal in elocution at Loretta Academy, Santa Fe, N. M.

Little Morton Fessie, only child of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Watson, died Wednesday.

July 18.—W. E. Eldridge of Mt. Sterling, has accepted a position with the Big Sandy News. Emmitt S. Ferguson, who has been employed in the NEWS office has "staid a paper in Pikeville."

Aug. 8.—John J. McClure and Miss Maude Chaffin were married Wednesday.

Aug. 15.—Zeke Wilson was seriously hurt Saturday when he fell from a derrick near the mouth of Georges creek.

Luther M. Walter of Blaine has located in Louisa for the practice of law. He recently graduated with honors from Columbia University.

Sept. 12.—Prof. G. Milton Elam is conducting the Morgan county teachers' institute this week, this being his third year in that county. He has conducted forty-six institutes in the last few years—forty in Kentucky and six in Tennessee.

Sept. 19.—We notice by the Coast Herald, Jeannette, La., that our old friend, Leo Frank, is a member of the

City Council and at a recent meeting was elected Mayor pro tem.

Sept. 28.—After several years of ill health, Mrs. T. S. McClure passed away last Tuesday at Gallup.

Oct. 17.—Emmette S. Ferguson died at Pikeville last Sunday of typhoid fever.

Rev. John Cheap and family moved down from Paintsville last week. He preached his first sermon here Sunday.

Oct. 31.—Luther M. Walter of Louisa has been appointed to a position in the appeals Department of the Pension Bureau at Washington.

Nov. 7.—The first track to be laid on the C. & O. railroad above Whitehouse was laid Monday.

Nov. 14.—Mr. L. G. Stringfellow and Miss Fannie Spencer were married in Ironton last week.

Shirley, little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Hewlett, died of typhoid fever Wednesday.

Dec. 12.—Early Wednesday morning the store building of Mr. Jno. F. Lackworth was destroyed by fire. Mrs. Billie Riffe discovered the fire and gave the alarm.

C. E. Hensley and Miss Margaret Garland were married last Saturday.

Dec. 26.—Married, last Tuesday, at the M. E. Church South Mr. Homer A. Scholze and Miss Hildegarda Roffe.

Married, Dec. 23, at the bride's residence, Miss Kenna Ferguson and Mr. Clyde L. Miller.

William Friend, well known steamboat engineer, froze to death at the railroad water tank near the mouth of Blaine Wednesday night.

"Hastings Hessel, J. P., was presented at the opera house Friday evening for the benefit of the band.

1903

Jan. 9.—Died, Saturday night, at the home of her father, J. C. Johns, Mrs. Bert Shannon.

Married, Wednesday, W. W. Mason to Miss Mary Yates.

Jan. 16.—Born, to W. S. Land and wife, a daughter.

Born, to Mrs. Wellman and wife, a daughter.

Married, Saturday afternoon, R. A. Biedel to Miss Sue M. Milles.

Died, Wednesday, Jeff Vaughan, 80 years of age.

Died, Saturday morning, at his home Judge James E. Stewart.

Feb. 20.—Born, to Clarence Crutcher and wife, Sunday, a girl.

Married, Elwood Hutchinson to Miss Effie O'Neal.

Feb. 27.—Died, Saturday morning at his home here, J. C. Butler.

March 6.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Mont Holt, a daughter.

March 13.—Paul Gault, mother and sister, have moved to Louisa. The Gault brothers are opening a racket store here.

April 3.—Married, John B. Johns to Miss Virginia Wilson.

April 10.—Born, to H. B. Hewlett and wife, a son.

April 24.—Died, Monday morning at his home in Louisa, W. H. Waldeck. He was 60 years of age.

May 1.—Jas. Howard gets life sentence for killing Governor Goebel.

May 8.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ratcliff, a boy.

Judge Burton's residence burned last Friday morning.

May 29.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McClure, a girl.

June 5.—James Jackson was drowned last Saturday evening.

June 5.—Married, Friday, Chas. Y. Abbott to Miss Mary Goble.

June 12.—Married, Rev. John Cheap to Miss Sue Holt.

June 19.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Wheaton, a boy.

July 24.—Died, in Pikeville Saturday, Mr. O. S. Horton, aged 34 years.

July 31.—Married, at East Liverpool, O., John G. Lackey to Miss Helen Foster.

Married at Memphis, Tenn., on the 9th, Roland A. Taylor, Jr., to Miss Fannie Wellman.

Aug. 14.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mauger, a son.

Aug. 21.—The first auction of city lots ever held here will take place September 11.

Aug. 28.—Died, at his home here Friday night of typhoid fever, Richard J. Prichard, 53 years of age.

Aug. 28.—Died, on Wednesday night, Geo. F. Johnson, 65 years of age.

Sept. 11.—Chas. Stump and Wm. Yontz were injured at Richardson last Wednesday by a falling derrick pole. Lots in Central Addition sold at auction today.

Luther M. Walter has resigned his position with the Board of Pension Appeals to accept the more desirable one of Law Clerk in the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Sept. 18.—Louisa Public School opened Monday with Prof. F. H. Bolster principal, and Misses O'Brien, McHenry, Froese and Walters assistants.

Sept. 25.—At an election held Tuesday, 61 votes were for granting a saloon license, and 149 against.

Theron Wilson killed by a rock falling on him last Friday four miles south of Louisa.

Dr. Fred D. Marum has located in Louisa.

Oct. 9.—Married, yesterday, M. L. Conley, of Cannel City, to Miss Anna Adams of Ludlow, Ky.

Mr. W. E. Houston has rented the Brunswick Hotel.

Judge S. S. Savage of Ashtland, died Monday in Cincinnati.

Marvin Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mayo of Paintsville, died at Williamson, W. Va., last Monday.

Oct. 16.—Wallace's circus in Louisa the 10th.

C. B. Peters badly hurt when he fell from an N. & W. train.

The new annex to the Arlington hotel is completed.

Oct. 23.—The marriage of Mr. Francis Thomas Durand Wallace, Jr., and Miss Margaret Hatten was solemnized Wednesday, Oct. 21, at Kavanaugh chapel.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller on the 17th a daughter.

George F. Gunnell is home from Lexington, Va., suffering with typhoid fever.

Oct. 30.—Gov. Beckham and party in Louisa today.

The Louisa brass band went to Inez Saturday and played for a Republican rally.

Nov. 6.—Bank of Blaine organized. Democratic ticket elected in county.

Nov. 27.—A card dropped in on a number of Louisa people Wednesday bearing this message: "Miss Billups sends me to request you to spend the

evening at her home Wednesday, Nov. 25th." Her marriage on June 7th at Point Pleasant, W. Va., to Mr. John H. Cummings was announced.

Dec. 4.—Mrs. Juliet Chambers, aged 99 years, died at the home of her son one mile from Louisa.

James C. Adams of Cincinnati is the new proprietor of the Brunswick.

Mr. Add Skeens and Miss Emma Vanhousen married Thursday.

A broom factory and laundry are in operation here now.

Dec. 11.—Henry G. Snyder wins big victory in Lexington in securing reversal in case of John W. Beas.

Dec. 18.—Mr. James L. Carey and Miss Grace L. Ferguson were married Wednesday at the home of the bride's sister.

Ed Spencer wins highest honors in scholarship in Louisa High School for term ending Dec. 4th.

Dec. 25.—Lizzie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Preston, died Wednesday.

The alarm of fire at the public school Friday was caused by the burning of some paper in a stove.

1904

Jan. 15.—F. H. Yates purchased the property located on Main and Main Cross street belonging to J. F. Hackworth. Consideration \$10,000.

Jan. 22.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Snyder, a daughter.

Jan. 29.—Louisa Bargain Store, J. Iarnlsky prop., opened a store at Main and Water streets.

Feb. 5.—The Louisa National Bank organized with B. F. Thomas president, M. G. Watson vice president, M. F. Conley cashier, J. F. Hackworth, Dr. L. H. York, Augustus Snyder and E. H. Yates directors.

There is talk of Louisa getting water works.

C. & O. passenger depot and adjacent store building burned Sunday.

Died, Dr. George W. Murray, aged 78 years. He had lived in Louisa 48 years.

Feb. 12.—Fire swept over Baltimore, Md., last Sunday and Monday.

Feb. 19.—The Louisa bakery is again running.

There is a new broom factory located here.

Feb. 26.—The city hall was burned last Wednesday morning about three o'clock. It was thought to have been set on fire and a \$200 reward offered for the arrest and conviction of the guilty person.

March 25.—Died, Tuesday morning, Mrs. Amasaetta Butler, aged 43 years.

April 1.—Died, Thursday, Alexander Lackey at his home. He was 50 years of age.

April 15.—Died, at his residence on Lock avenue, Sunday, George L. Hazelton.

April 22.—Married last Tuesday evening, E. K. Langhorne to Miss Sadie Reynolds.

The new establishment, Shipman & Ragland, have located here.

May 13.—A. J. Lear left Monday for Denver, Colo., where he expects to locate permanently.

Died, in New York, Arch Cummings. The contract has been let for a brick depot for Louisa.

May 20.—Wm. M. Fulkerson will graduate in law from Grant University, Chattanooga, Tenn., within a few days.

June 3.—G. W. Gunnell has sold his store and rented the building to D. Brown & Co.

June 10.—W. B. Cox holds the franchise for the installation of a water work and sewerage system. The survey is being made and work will start immediately.

June 14.—Married, Wednesday, W. E. Eldridge to Miss Elizabeth Yates, also her sister, Miss Nell Yates to Mr. C. T. Reynolds.

July 1.—Died, in New Mexico, Sunday, Mrs. Robert Mauger, who was Miss Vessie McClure.

Mrs. Ellen Waldeck was stricken with paralysis last week.

July 22.—Married, in Lexington, Samuel Fessie to Miss Isabella Armstrong.

Aug. 12.—Died, Sunday morning, Mrs. Ellen Yates.

Aug. 15.—Mrs. Hannah Lackey appointed county superintendent of schools.

Aug. 26.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., a boy—Joseph Edward.

Sept. 2.—All trains on Big Sandy division are now running into Paintsville.

Mrs. Mary Yates Carpenter died last Thursday in Catlettsburg.

The Big Sandy News office will be removed next week to the new building adjoining the Louisa National Bank.

The waterworks company has begun excavation for the reservoir on the old fort.

Sept. 16.—Harry G. Wellman is filling very satisfactorily the position of Western Union telegraph operator.

Rev. O. F. Williams is the new pastor of M. E. Church South.

Capt. Milton Fessie was born in Medina, Ohio, Nov. 11, 1819, died in Louisa Sept. 14, 1904. He came to the Big Sandy country early in the forties.

Sept. 23.—Married, Thursday, in Caswell, W. Va., Ben B. Rule and Miss Thura DeRossett.

Oct. 7.—B. J. Chaffin and family have moved from Yatesville to Louisa.

Mrs. Lucien Johnson and children have moved to Wellsburg, W. Va.

Water mains are all laid and the fire plugs are in.

Oct. 21.—B. F. Thomas resigns government position and accepted another that will cause him to leave Louisa.

Married, Mordecai Wilson to Mrs. Sarah Murray.

Nov. 2.—Born, yesterday, to M. F. Conley and wife, a daughter.

The Louisa and Fort Gay Bridge Co., has been organized and stock is now being sold.

Alex Lackey has resigned his position in the First National Bank and will go to California for his health.

Nov. 11.—Born, to D. C. Spencer and wife, a daughter.

Nov. 18.—Married, Wednesday, Jay A. Vinson to Miss Gypsey Shannon.

Dec. 2.—Born, to Mrs. G. P. Beavers at Fort Gay, a daughter.

Russell Sammons fell from the upstairs porch of the Sammons home, injuring himself badly.

Married, Friday evening, Bert Shannon to Miss Ella Preston.

Dec. 8.—Henry Pigg was fatally injured by the blowing up of a boiler

at Col. Northup's hotel. George Atkin was also hurt but not seriously.

Dec. 30.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hahberger, a son.

P. F. C. Hill has purchased the B. F. Thomas property near the school house and will live there.

Dec. 30.—Married, Wednesday noon, Cullen B. Bromley to Miss Martella Vaughan.

Married, Monday, Winsfield Scott to Miss Blanche Moore Gray.

1905

Jan. 6.—The Preslon Produce Co. has been organized and incorporated with \$5,000 capital stock.

Jan. 13.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Conley at Cannel City, on the 6th, a son—Leslie Raymond.

D. C. Spencer will open a new grocery store on Main street next week.

Jan. 20.—Mrs. Geo. T. Burgess died at her home near the mouth of Georges creek Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hinkel, on the 19th, a daughter.

Feb. 24.—Died, with pneumonia Saturday night, H. H. Gamhill of Blaine.

Feb. 24.—A Board of Trade was organized in Louisa last Monday.

March 3.—A canning factory will soon be built here. The company has been organized and the work of building the factory will start soon. The following directors have been elected: Augustus Snyder, J. B. Peters, E. E. Shannon, W. N. Sullivan and W. B. Cox.

March 10.—Born, Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Carey, a son—George Burgess.

March 17.—Died, at her home near Ft. Gay Saturday, Mrs. James Ferguson.

Ross Howe of Ft. Gay was killed last Monday by a N. & W. crane.

March 31.—Bills on the Louisa and Ft. Gay bridge were opened today. The West Virginia Bridge Co. was the lowest bidder on the superstructure and T. H. Roberts on the piers.

Dr. T. D. Burgess purchased the home of Major D. J. Burchett on Lock avenue.

April 14.—Dr. J. D. Blagg has purchased a bottling plant and will soon begin the manufacture of soft drinks.

April 21.—Married, the 17th, Henry W. Bussey to Miss Ivory Pigg.

April 28.—Died, Tuesday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates, Mrs. T. B. Meyers.

June 2.—Died at his home in Fort Gay, Samuel Dameron.

The first train to Pikeville was run Monday, June 5th.

June 23.—Major Warren will succeed Col. Ruffner in charge of the Big Sandy river.

Died, Tuesday, James Carter of Yatesville and John Curnutte of Herseford Branch.

June 30.—Died on a train enroute home, L. S. Stringfellow.

Married, John H. McClure to Miss Nettie Shivel.

July 14.—Died, July 8, the 7 months old son of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Burgess of Matamoras, W. Va.

July 28.—The Louisa National Bank increases capital stock to \$50,000.

Aug. 11.—Died, Wednesday evening, George R. B. Chapman, 75 years of age.

Aug. 25.—Born, Thursday to Millard Hale and wife, a girl.

Sept. 8.—Dr. Watson, Dr. York, J. C. Adams and George H. Burgess were made Shriners at Ashland Saturday.

The Louisa Brass Band went to Ironton and played in the Labor Day parade.

Miss Lulu Yates has accepted a position with Valentine & Newcomb.

Bromley Bros. buy furnishing store from R. H. Ragland.

Sept. 15.—Mr. P. H. ("Bud") Lear died in Huntington Thursday.

Sept. 29.—Mr. Ernest Shannon and Miss Belle Cummings married.

Oct. 6.—Piers completed for bridge by T. H. Roberts & Co.

C. R. (Ramsey) Wilson died in Louisa yesterday.

Oct. 20.—Clyde Waldeck, young child of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Thompson, died Tuesday.

Oct. 27.—Frank Branham fatally injured by runaway horse. The accident occurred Monday near the court house.

Nov. 3.—Boiler lets go near Fallsburg killing three men and wounding many others.

Nov. 10.—Republicans won all the county offices Tuesday. Dr. M. G. Watson elected State Senator.

Nov. 24.—Mrs. M. B. Goble died in Catlettsburg Sunday.

Dec. 1.—Louisa postoffice robbed and safe blown with nitro-glycerine Wednesday night.

Married at Louisa Nov. 25th, Mr. Forrest L. Stewart and Mrs. Nannie W. Hayes.

1906

Jan. 12.—"Dot, the Miner's Daughter" presented at opera house the 4th by local talent. Cast included Lon Pigg, Harry Wellman, John W. Hall, A. G. Harrett, George Lewis, Ed Spencer, Ray Butler, Mrs. E. C. Jenks, Misses Emma Carey, Retta Mason, Lizzie Bromley and Opal Spencer.

T. H. Roberts, W. B. Ferguson, Sam Bromley and Anderson Wilson form partnership and will go to Roanoke, Va., to do railroad work.

Feb. 2.—Shipman & Gentry is the style of a new firm in Louisa.

Feb. 9.—Married at the residence of Wm. Remmele on the 7th, Mr. Jas. B. Kinsler to Miss Mary Remmele and Mr. Paul W. Gault to Miss Irma Remmele.

Bell Telephone Co. securing right of way from Huntington to Pikeville.

Feb. 16.—Two buildings destroyed by fire at Buchanan Wednesday.

Feb. 23.—Work on Louisa and Fort Gay bridge begun yesterday.

March 9.—Col. Powell, of Texas, was in Louisa Sunday. He is 7 feet, 4 in. in height.

"The Deacon" was presented at opera house by local talent.

March 23.—Will Land fatally injured on L. & N. train.

April 20.—Earthquake and fire destroyed San Francisco Wednesday.

Married, Wednesday, Mr. James Bromley and Miss Minnie Reynolds.

Emily, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Miller died Tuesday of pneumonia.

Big Sandy News enlarged to 8 pages.

April 27.—School excursion of K. N. C. students, 175 strong, from Prestonsburg to Louisa.

June 1.—William T. Pierson died in Washington City.

Fire at Inez last Friday destroyed six residences and a church.

Mr. Barney Reynolds and Miss Retta Mason were married May 20th.

June 8.—Grover Meek receives degree of M. D. from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

New Domain Oil & Gas Co. start operations at Blaine.

Mrs. Julia Hale, age 70, widow of Henderson Hale, died yesterday.

On Saturday, June 2, Mrs. Ella Hays of Louisa, Mrs. R. C. Wolford of Johnson City, Tenn., and Miss Lillian Haymes of Danville, Va., had the honor of being the first ladies to cross the Louisa and Fort Gay bridge.

June 16.—William Fraser, aged 55, died Monday in Fort Gay.

June 22.—Riverview Hospital incorporated.

Quite a number enjoyed a boat trip on the steamer Donca Monday night.

Russell Schultz seriously hurt when struck by N. & W. train yesterday.

June 29.—Leo Frank of Louisiana was here this week after an absence of six years.

C. T. Rule sells interest in wholesale grocery business to W. H. Adams and Bill J. Moore of Cordell.

The Louisa and Fort Gay bridge was put into service at 4 o'clock Wednesday, June 27. Flen McHenry is the bridge keeper.

July 13.—William Stephens killed and two injured in railroad wreck near Buchanan yesterday.

July 27.—Frank Hinkel instantly killed at Levisa lock No. 1 Tuesday when struck by a stone from quarry blast.

David Spence, age 35, was killed in the mines at Peach Orchard Wednesday.

Aug. 27.—By a vote of 168 to 25 Louisa agrees to furnish site for K. N. C. John G. Burns has purchased the Louisa Roller Flour mills.

Aug. 31.—Mr. J. M. Turner and Miss Emily Northup were married Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Bromley chaperoned the following young people on a picnic at the camp ground Wednesday: Misses Shirley Burns, Clara Bromley, Nina Rathbone, Anna Louise Hattell, Flora Jones, Laura Crutcher, Grace Remmele, Beulah Preston, Reba and Cora Meek, Messrs. Taylor Johns, Herbert Sammons, Richard Wilson and Ed Spencer.

Sept. 21.—W. J. Bryan addressed a large crowd in Fort Gay Friday.

Miss Ella Layne and Mr. Wirt Brown were married in Guyandotte, W. Va., Sept. 12th.

Sept. 24.—Died in Louisa Saturday, Sept. 22 Frances Vinson, oldest daughter of Geo. R. and Emma Vinson; aged 11 years.

Oct. 12.—Descendants of George R. and Emily Burgess held reunion at home of Malcolm Burgess.

Oct. 26.—Mrs. P. H. Bussey died at home in Russysville Sunday, aged 52.

Nov. 9.—Gladys, nine-year-old daughter of Mont Hale of Central City, W. Va., killed by street car Thursday.

Nov. 16.—John Billups killed in I. & O. collision near Pleasant Plains, O., Saturday.

Dec. 7.—George Fulkerson died in Rhyolite, Nevada, last Tuesday.

Dec. 21.—Geo. F. Wroten and Miss Irene Neill Hutton were married in Savannah, Ga.

The exchange of the Southern Bell telephone at Louisa is now in operation. Mrs. L. C. Jones is operator. There are 40 subscribers.

A reunion of the family of Jacob H. Peters was held at the residence of J. F. Wellman in Louisa Dec. 12th.

1907

Jan. 4.—"The Yellow Goose" club gave an elegant supper at the Brunswick last Thursday night. Those present were: Misses Mellic and Lizzie Bromley, Lute Yates, Bessie Snyder, Kate Fessie, Lella Snyder, Emily Carey, Jane O'Brien, Bertha Watson, Genie McClure, Lillian McHenry; T. L. Muncester, Charles Cain Heman Fulkerson, Dr. Meek, Capt. W. O. Johnson, J. W. Hall, H. G. Wilman, W. O. Tracy, Jack Richmond, C. T. Rule and George R. Burgess.

Feb. 6.—Dr. Boland able minister and scholar, died at Point Pleasant, W. Va.

March 15.—"Uncle Jimmy" Bebeber died near Gallup a few days ago. He was 106 years old.

The Gunnell Block sold for \$14,000 last Saturday. Deal was closed by R. A. Hinkel.

April 12.—Two men were injured and much damage done by tornado which hit this section Sunday.

April 19.—Population of Louisa 1423.

April 26.—Death claims Elsworth Norris, former citizen of Louisa at his home in Huntington Monday.

June 21.—Waterworks sold to G. W. Atkinson for \$15,505.

June 28.—Dr. T. D. Burgess buys business house and lot adjoining First National bank and will erect a modern business house.

July 5.—Riverview Hospital completed and opened for business.

Sept. 20.—Burglars blow safe of Big Sandy Milling company.

Oct. 11.—Mrs. Della Ferguson died Monday at Colorado Springs.

Nov. 29.—Millard F. Carter died in hospital here Wednesday.

Dec. 20.—Mrs. O. B. Stump killed by train at Buchanan Saturday.

Dec. 27.—C. T. Rule and Miss Garnet Kirk married at Paintsville the 25th.

1908

Jan. 10.—Brunswick hotel damaged by fire Sunday.

Jan. 17.—Nash & Herr in the style of a new firm in Louisa.

Jan. 24.—J. C. Thomas awarded contract for raising crest of Louisa dam five feet.

Feb. 7.—Serepta Hull was struck by passenger train Saturday.

Feb. 28.—Geo. Carter, Sr., and Mrs. V. B. Shortridge died this week.

May 1.—David W. Garred and Garland J. Moore passed away.

May 8.—Fred M. Vinson and John L. Combs graduate from K. N. C.

Beulah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Preston, died Friday.

June 12.—Engineer Andrew Berry killed when Big Sandy train went over embankment near Torchlight last Friday.

R. E. Lee died in Huntington Friday.

June 19.—Engineer Lon Borders scalded to death in wreck in Illinois.

July 3.—James Skene and sons of St. Louis awarded contract for building Levisa dam at Chapman.

July 10.—Golden wedding of Mr. R. T. Burns and wife celebrated in Louisa Wednesday evening.

Aug. 7.—On Wednesday Miss Ada Johnson of Cyrus, W. Va., and Mr. H.

G. Wellman were married in Catlettsburg.

Aug. 23.—Residence of Judge R. F. Vinson destroyed by fire near Louisa Friday.

Sept. 4.—Two children of Chas. Cooper roasted alive at Cherokee Friday.

Oct. 30.—John W. Jones, aged 75, died October 24.

Nov. 27.—G. A. Nash opens skating rink.

Dec. 11.—Wm. Vinson, Sr., and Wiley Litteral were killed last Saturday on Tug river, 15 miles from Louisa.

1909

Feb. 12.—Stephen M. McClure died last Monday.

Feb. 26.—Frank Blevins, C. & O. conductor killed at Whitehouse.

April 2.—Mrs. Chas. Clifford Sullivan was born near Fort Gay, W. Va., on Dec. 20, 1831, died in Ashland Mar. 30, 1909. Her husband died in Louisa yesterday.

April 16.—Three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCoy burned to death near Ft. Gay.

John Griffith living at Cherokee is 104 years old.

April 23.—Wm. Dobbins, aged 72, of Gallup, died of burns received when fighting fire on his farm.

Graduating class K. N. C.—Miss Margaret Lackey, class prophet, E. K. Spencer, salutarian, A. C. Davis, valedictorian, T. F. Gach, A. H. Turman, Paul J. Frazier, E. W. Pendleton and Toke Caldwell.

R. A. Hinkel wins four prizes in insurance field—two \$50 gold pieces, silver loving cup, pigskin wallet and a trip to New York.

Born, to J. P. Billups and wife in Ft. Gay, a two pound daughter.

May 14.—Hamilton Bros. leased F. H. Yates' building and will start bakery.

May 21.—Mrs. Lys Haws of Yatesville dies in Ashland.

Tug River Telephone line completed.

June 4.—Fred Vinson breaks all records at Center, Danville. Graduates at end of first year, wins senior prize, makes best grades in test examinations, etc.

June 11.—Mrs. Jennie Jones Stone, wife of R. A. Stone, died after brief illness.

June 18.—The Consolidation Coal Co. will build railroad from Van Lear Junction to their mines on Millers creek and a bridge over Big Sandy river at that point.

Mrs. Georgia A. Smith of Pike county, and Mr. Jas. C. Johns of this place, marry.

June 25.—Thos. H. Brown dies in Catlettsburg.

July 2.—Deaths, Mrs. Mont Holt; Howland T. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Burns.

Dr. L. S. Hays and Miss Bertha Spencer marry.

July 30.—Oil activities pushed in Three Mile field.

Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crutcher, of Holden, receives medal for being most trustworthy cadet at Ohio Military Institute.

Lela E. Wallace and Itoxe Bradley marry.

Aug. 6.—Sam Jones killed by train near Fort Gay.

Wm. Skaggs injured by team at Portsmouth, Louisa leg.

Aug. 13.—Mrs. Liza Peters died Saturday at Paintsville. Burial here.

Wm. Pack killed by train near Glenhays.

Aug. 20.—Teachers selected for Louisa schools—J. B. McClure, G. M. Conley, Mrs. W. N. Sullivan, Mrs. N. C. Cline, Miss Sallie Gearhart.

Stephen Hiltner passes away.

Sept. 3.—Married Saturday, Norma Johnson and Miss Clara Bromley; Miss Nellie Conley and Jamison Skeens; Earl C. McClure and Miss Derrana Chadwick; Miss Lucy Skeens and Ben Heston.

Sept. 10.—Death, Rev. Zephaniah Meek, 76, Catlettsburg; Mrs. Joshua Diamond, 77, Louisa.

Frank Johnson, wife and son leave for Colorado.

Oct. 8.—Christian Shannon, 39, died at home of parents, James and Kate Shannon, Friday.

Oct. 15.—Joe Gardner of Webbville dies Monday. Burial at Salyersville.

Oct. 29.—H. C. Evans, aged citizen, drops dead in Compton's blacksmith shop.

Married, Oct. 16, Miss May Burke and Arnie C. Holbrook.

Nov. 5.—G. C. McClure and wife of Gallup celebrate 60th anniversary. Their son, L. T. and wife, recently celebrated their 27th.

Died, Mrs. Wm. Borders of Paintsville.

Nov. 6.—Mrs. John Picklesimer, 79, died on the 13th. She and husband had passed 61st anniversary of marriage in September.

Nov. 19.—Miss Lella Snyder and Jackson L. Richmond married Wednesday.

Nov. 26.—Married, Miss Nellie Bromley and Geo. B. Skene marry in Catlettsburg.

1910

May 13.—Engineer Richard Dwyer was killed and three trainmen injured in double-header freight wreck above Catlettsburg Thursday.

May 20.—Dan Allison meets death in burning building Sunday night.

June 17.—Miss Mabel Butler and Mr. Robert Poole of Williamson, W. Va., were married in Ashland Wednesday.

July 8.—Victor Caperton shot by John Dameron Saturday.

July 15.—Wm. H. Shannon of Gallup killed while making repairs on steam shovel near Newport.

July 29.—Judge R. F. Vinson died at his home near Louisa last Friday.

Harry Sammons and Miss Lila Burl Porter were married in Sedalia, Mo.

Aug. 5.—Geo. R. Lewis and Miss Lida Preston of Graves Shoals were married last Sunday.

Sept. 2.—Gov. Taylor spoke in Louisa Aug. 27th.

Sept. 23.—On last Monday at noon, Mr. Geo. H. Roberts and Miss Mary Ellen Carey were married.

Oct. 7.—On Wednesday Miss Emily Carey and Mr. Charles McDonald of Wichita Falls, Texas, were married.

Dec. 9.—Mrs. Emma Wood Northup, wife of Col. Northup, died last Thursday.

Dec. 30.—Big Sandy Produce Co. and Louisa Bakery destroyed by fire Tuesday morning.

MASONIC ACADEMY ENROLLMENT FOR THE YEARS 1868-9

In 1836 the Masonic Academy was established in Louisa through the efforts of the Masonic Lodge. The first floor of their building, the old brick still standing and now being used for school purposes, was the place where the school was conducted.

Dr. G. W. Wroten was brought here from Maysville as the head of that school.

In the historical exhibit in the court house there is on display an announcement which was printed for the school in 1869, giving terms and regulations and a list of the enrollment for 1868-9. Mrs. James Hale (Genoa Wilson) has kept it all these years.

That school marked a real epoch in the educational history of the Big Sandy valley. Many persons who afterward became prominent in the world finished their education there.

Dr. Wroten died only three years ago. He was honored by all his pupils throughout his long life.

Following is the roll:

Miss Clara Prichard.
Miss Vic. Vinson.
Miss Nannie Johns.
Miss Annie Prichard.
Miss Jennie Vinson.
Miss Jennie Rice.
Miss Ella Johns.
Miss Emma Wellman.
Miss Ella Wellman.
Miss Lizzie Yates.
Miss Kate Sullivan.
Miss Laura Jones.
Miss Mary Tackey.
Miss Ada Rice.
Miss Hannah Moore.
Miss Dove Goble.
Miss Lida Rice.
Miss Lilly Goble.
Miss Ida Rice.
Miss Emma Goble.
Miss Lizzie Rice.
Miss Mollie Rice.
Miss Genoa Wilson.
Miss Mary Bower.
Miss Lizzie Vinson.
Miss Belle Burchett.
Miss Emma Wellman.
Miss Josie Layne.
Miss Vic. Wellman.
Miss Mary Rice.
Miss Laura Ferguson.
Miss Eliza Amick.
Miss Rosa Swetnam.
Miss Kate Freese.
Miss Sue Webb.
Miss Mary Swetnam.
Miss Kate Burns.
Miss Virginia See.
Miss Nellie Moore.
Miss Sarah Dotson.
Miss Rebecca Wellman.
Miss Abby Sullivan.
Miss Freddie Moore.
George Hutchison.
Bert Wellman.
James Rice.
Henry Ferguson.
James Johns.
Alex. Lackey.
James Fraxier.
Matt. Yates.
Jerry Diamond.
Harry Johns.
Joseph Bussey.
Freddie Sullivan.
Lewis Dempsey.
Charley Yates.
George Goble.
Lemuel Johnson.
Penbrook Marcum.
Jimmy Amick.
Fred Wellman.
Willie Rice.
Alfred Savage.
Albert Murray.
John Rice.
Frank Savage.
Willie Sullivan.
Ulysses Wilson.
William Caperton.
Freddie Gallup.
Fleming McHenry.
John McKenzie.
Daniel McKenzie.
Jas. P. Meek.
John Marcum.
John Burchett.
Bazil Hays.
John Ferguson.
Lys Hawes.
John McDyer.
John Johnson.
Milton Hager.
Benjamin Martin.
Frank Wallace.
Ballard Holt.
William Carter.
Alex. Burns.
Thomas Johnson.
William Johnson.
John Patton.
William Salyers.
Oliver Davenport.
John M. Rice, Jr.
William Dotson.
John Romans.

Masonic Hall Dedicated Tuesday, Nov. 20th, 1866

On Tuesday, Nov. 20th, 1866, the Masonic Hall in this place was dedicated. Apperson Lodge met in the jury room of the old Court House and marched in procession, with Billie Carey and Lee Small beating the drums, to the new building which was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. Those in Louisa this week who participated in the dedication ceremonies are Col. Northup and Maj. Burchett.

Jenkins School Opens; E. L. Swetnam Teacher

The schools of this district will start the new term Aug. 28. The faculty list is complete as elected in June. The personnel of the teaching staff has been improved and three new teaching positions have been created to enrich the course of study and to take care of growing enrollment.

The faculty is: E. L. Swetnam, principal, physics and mathematics; Mary Foster English and Spanish; Elizabeth Green, Latin and history; Marie Jordan, home economics; Barnett Fox, manual training and physical education; Golder Sandidge, Supervisor of music.—Jenkins Recorder.

HISTORICAL KETCH OF LAWRIE CO.

Of the early history Louisa but little is known. There is mention in ancient conveyances of blockhouse built at the forks of Big Sandy river by Charles Vance, to whom in 1772 a grant of land was made from George III. King England, by the hand of John, Earl Dunmore, then Governor of the City of Virginia, and to whom later a further grant of lands was made by Beverly Randolph, then Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, then included all Kentucky; and which grants comprised lands including what is now Louisa and adjacent territory. A map printed in England in 1790 shows a settlement at forks of the Great Sandy River, it is called—Baldclutha. As Vancouver was citizen of London, England, it is probable that he gave this name to settlement he attempted to establish further of the history of it is now available.

Lawrence county was blished by an Act of the General Assembly effective February 10 1822 the county being named in honor Captain James Lawrence, "late of the United States Navy," and in honor memorial of his gallant coat at the sinking of the Chesapeake.

As originally created, the county embraced what is now Lawrence county together with other which now are portions of the adjoining counties of Boyd, Carter, Mt. Morgan, Johnson and Martin. Act designated as Commissioners to select the site of a "permanent" of justice for the new county Rice James Ward, Jr., Henry Mayo, Samuel May and David Harris.

These Commissioners had selected as the site for the court seat of the new county the lands at forks of the Big Sandy where as now stands, the General Assen by an Act effective December 11, established the town of Louisa first justices being Samuel B. Anderson, Isaac Bolt, Nimmantberry, Andrew Chapman, Eph R. Ward and Elisha Wellmond.

One hundred years have since these events and the County Lawrence and City of Louisa are celebrating their first Centen. That it may prove an enjoyable occasion, long to be remembered, and that of an event which can of need come but once in the lives of an us, is the hope of The Louisa and Lawrence County Centennial Association.

LOUISA'S CHURCHES

The Methodist church seem have been the first ever established in Louisa. So thoroughly did it of the field and for so long a period the fiscal court of the county, it authoritatively gained through a act of the Legislature, granted it site on the corner of the courthouse square, where the jail now stands. There a brick church was built by the M. E. Church South and until 1882, when a new one was built on the corner where the third floor now stands. The exchange lots was made by another special of the Legislature. The church standing was built in 1917.

The M. E. Church erected first building some years before will war on the lot where the tent building stands. An important addition is now being built to this building the Civil war both of the M. E. churches were badly abused the soldiers, who used them for storage purposes for the horses.

The Baptists erected their church in Louisa in 1885-6 on lot now occupied by a comparatively new building.

The Christian church acquires first church here about 11 years, at the head of Lock avenue by have very recently completed building on upper Madison street.

Prof. T. B. McClure On the Prominent Educator

Among those who have come to Louisa we notice Prof. T. B. McClure and his estimable wife. In other column we have told of the new work of Dr. G. W. Wroten higher educational lines. Last Prof. McClure played a very important part in carrying on the well begun in the Masonic Academy in Louisa for a few years and then went to Huntington as head of Marshall College. We heard some his students who fit their education in colleges say that was the best instructor they found, in colleges or elsewhere.

He has been engaged in education throughout the years of his term. He is a native of Lawrence county, the youngest of the 17 and daughters of William McClure has two sisters living, Mrs. Bloss of Huntington, age 93, and Nancy Phillips of Louisa, in her year.

The following is the family of Wm. McClure:

William McClure, the father, born Oct. 12, 1789, and died at the age of 71 years.

Lucretia McClure was born Aug. 10, 1798, and died at the age of 71 years.

Children:—Joseph P., born Jan. 1817; Elizabeth, born April 30, 1817; Mary Ann, born August 5, 1822; J. C., born Nov. 15, 1823; Ellen, born June 28, 1825; Rebecca, born Jan. 1827; Alannah, born Oct. 5, 1828; rah, born July 10, 1830; Strother, born March 19, 1832; Nancy C., born 8, 1833; William, Jr., born May 2, 1837; Julia P., born Dec. 11, 1838; hert G. H., born Feb. 22, 1841; Stephen A. R., born June 20, 1842; Priscilla F., born May 14, 1844; Isaac T., born Jan. 16, 1847.

Anticipated The Effect.

The minister who made the following announcement seems to have been prepared for untoward results from his preaching: "There are some folks here," he said, "for those who ayville help to support the organization. Louisa is fortunate in getting this band of 35 pieces for the big doin's stick at the close of the service."

A Woman Older Than County of Lawrence

Mrs. Mahala Wells Huff, Living Near
Louisa, is 104 Years Old.



MRS. MAHALA WELLS HUFF AND SON.

It has been a long time since the city of Louisa and the county of Lawrence came into existence. We hardly expect to find anything animate that has lived on this earth long enough to remember as far back as the beginning of this centennial span. But we have with us a woman who has exceeded that hundred years by four. Not only that but she looks good for many more years.

This remarkable woman is Mrs. Mahala Huff, widow of a veteran of the war of 1812. The pension department has her record and she is the oldest person on their rolls. Doubtless she is the oldest woman in the state of Kentucky.

She lives three miles southeast of Louisa. The picture shown at the head of this article was taken on the 18th day of August. She lives with her son, Henderson Wells, who is in his 70th year.

When a reporter for the NEWS visited the home she was cutting weeds with a hoe. She is very active and industrious, keeping busy at all kinds of housework—cooking, sweeping, etc. Also, she takes care of a lot of chickens. Two weeks ago she walked two miles, over a mountain, to visit some friends.

Mrs. Huff was born and raised on Wells Ridge on Twelve Pole, Va. (now W. Va.) in 1818 and moved to Fort Gay later on. 37 years ago she moved to Lawrence county with her son.

Notwithstanding her extreme age she is bright and happy and takes a lively interest in affairs around her. Her hearing is good and she can see well enough to thread a needle.

The following facts were taken from the pension records at Washington recently by a Louisville newspaper:

Washington, May 30.—On this Decoration day the thoughts of the second conflict in this nation's history, fought 110 years ago, is uppermost in the minds of at least two score of women—forty—some widows who had husbands in the war of 1812.

And on this Decoration day for the first time Kentucky has the honor of being the home State of the eldest widow, whose name is on the Government pension roll as the result of service rendered to the country by her husband in the first war after the foundation of the American Government.

For, according to the latest available record of the United States Pension Office, Mrs. Mahala Huff of Louisa, Ky., can claim that distinction.

Mrs. Huff who is 103 years old, is the widow of James Huff, who served as a private in Company G of the Virginia Militia in the war of 1812. He volunteered November 5, 1812, at Knoxville, Tenn., and served until March 10, 1814, when he was honorably discharged. James Huff, according to the Pension Bureau records was born in Virginia in 1794. He was 19 years old when he volunteered to fight for his country against the British and he was still under his majority when he was discharged, after serving with the Fourth Regiment of General Taylor's brigade and having participated in numerous skirmishes near Norfolk, Va.

Married When 50 Years Old.

Two years after he had doffed the uniform and returned to his farm he married Miss Anna Pennington in Harlan county, Kentucky. Later his wife died, and December 5, 1869 when 75 years old, he married again, his second wife being Mahala Wells, who was then 50 years old. And the second Mrs. Huff, according to the records, still survives and is now a resident of Louisa, Ky., where the Government sends her monthly pension check. On Decoration day a year ago the distinction now held by Mrs. Huff went to Mrs. Elizabeth H. Tyler of Baltimore, Md., who died recently at the age of 104.

CRICUS TO BE STAGED
BY MEN IN TRAINING

Camp Knox.—A circus replete with clowns, acrobats, chariot races, bareback riders, minstrels and wild animals will be a feature of the closing days of the citizens' military training camp at Camp Knox. Many friends and relatives of the officers from Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia were expected to see the shows the evening of Aug. 24 and 25. There are 2,500 student officers.

UNION GAS & OIL CO. LAWRENCE COUNTY'S BIGGEST ENTERPRISE

Greatest Oil Property East
of Mississippi River.

The greater part of this issue of the NEWS is devoted to past history. It is fitting, however, that we devote some space to the present.

The biggest thing that has been done in this county in a material way is the uncovering of the great pool of oil in the upper Blaine and Keaton field, on the west side of Lawrence county. This happened nearly five years ago, but it was some time after that before the fact was realized that this is one of the great oil pools of the central section of the United States. The 1900 acres held by the Union Gas & Oil Company is pronounced the most desirable of any east of the Mississippi.

The story is an interesting one. When the leases were taken the territory stood condemned, or at least nobody regarded it as at all promising.



A. B. AYRES.

The Standard Oil Company's development subsidiary had drilled six deep test wells near that field, one being a little more than a mile distant.

Falling in an effort to sell the lease at a low figure Mr. Ayres decided to drill a test well and it was a good gas well. He sold an interest to Mr. Frank M. Millikan, a banker of Indianapolis. Mr. Albin holds one-eighth interest. Five more gas wells were drilled and a compressor plant installed and a connection made with a gas line. Then in extending the field a well was drilled that made several barrels of oil. Following that lead the oil wells came right along every time a hole was drilled and some of them made as high as 100 barrels a day when first drilled in. 20 barrels was considered a very moderate producer. The development still goes forward, with over 200 wells and only two dry ones. 29 strings of tools are running, notwithstanding the low price of oil. The company is doing everything possible to rush development.

Mr. Ayres is president of the Union. He is a man of boundless energy and enterprise. One of less courage and tenacity never would have gone thru with the task that he has accomplished in connection with this property. Obstacles that most men would have considered impregnable have been overcome by him.

He is a native of Indiana but his ancestors were Kentuckians, so he feels at home here.

Mr. Millikan is a very substantial man of wealth and business standing. He is greatly interested in Kentucky's resources. He comes down here occasionally and we find him a very pleasant gentleman.

Mr. Albin is well known to the people of the upper Blaine section and has many friends there. He also is a native of Indiana.

Ed. J. Holland is superintendent of the development work and is well liked by the people in the Blaine territory.

One of the Leading Attractions During Our Home Coming Week



THE KENTUCKY CARDINALS BAND.

This band of young people out of Maysville's best families attracts much attention wherever it goes. It has been prepared for untoward results from his preaching: "There are some folks here," he said, "for those who ayville help to support the organization. Louisa is fortunate in getting this band of 35 pieces for the big doin's stick at the close of the service."



J. W. YATES.

The oldest Confederate soldier in Louisa and perhaps in Lawrence county is Mr. J. William Yates. He is in his 86th year. It is not often that we see a man of his age so active. He is remarkably well preserved. His service in the Confederate army was replete with thrilling experiences and he has a great fund of war incidents.

Mr. Yates is a native of West Virginia, his home having been near Barboursville. At the close of the war he came to Louisa and located and has lived here ever since, an honorable and highly respected citizen. During most of his life he was in some branch of the merchandising business. For a good many years he was a traveling salesman. Dr. Strother J. Yates, once the leading physician of Louisa, was a brother of the subject of this sketch. He died about 20 years ago.



COL. JAY H. NORTHUP.

Not a native, but fully adopted. Coming out of the Union army in the Civil war at age 22 as a Lieutenant Colonel, he came to Louisa from his home town in New York and promptly engaged in business here. Except for a residence of about two years in Ashland while serving as receiver for the Chattahoochee railroad Col. Northup has lived here ever since 1865. He was first in the hotel business, then in timber, merchandising, coal and agriculture. He has through all these years taken a prominent part in all progressive movements in Lawrence county and the Big Sandy Valley, and is still doing so. Railroads, improvement of the Big Sandy river, good roads, have received much attention at his hands. Also, development of hidden resources, modern farming methods, etc.

WILBUR AND CORDELL

Several from here attended church at Mt. Olive Sunday.

The roads are in good condition. Hauling lumber is the chief business here now.

Cordell school boys went over Saturday afternoon and played the Mattie school boys. Score 8 and 16 in favor of Cordell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie H. Moore of Columbus, Ohio, are here calling on friends and relatives.

Miss Annie Griffith, who has been very ill, is better.

Miss Fanny Osborn has been the guest of Blaine relatives for the past week.

Alonzo Arrington has purchased a Ford Car.

Mr. and Mrs. James Greene of Martha, were here Sunday the guests of the latter's parents.

Simon Arrington who is employed in the oil fields was the guest of home folks Saturday and Sunday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Aught Cordie is very ill.

Miss Sidney Swann who is teaching school at Compton is expected to pay home folks a visit soon.

Dr. R. E. Swann will leave soon for Louisville where he will complete his medical course.

Mrs. Susie Prince and daughter, Miss Erma and Mrs. Willie Moore were the pleasant dinner guests of Mrs. T. M. Cordie Thursday.

Mrs. Lillie Candill and little daughter of Ashland are here the guests of relatives.

Miss Mollie Cordie who is employed at Columbus, Ohio, is expected to pay home folks a visit soon.

Luther Cordie who has been employed at Ashland has returned home. Miss Etta Thompson went to Louisa Friday.

Geo. Swetnam had the misfortune of running his car over the bank last Tuesday while coming from Louisa. He and his daughter Lydia were all the passengers the car contained and neither one badly injured.

Willie Swetnam has gone to Williamson, W. Va., where he has employment.

Several from here attended the ice cream festival at Mattie Saturday.

Thomas Holbrook of Hicksville, who is engaged in the lumber business at this place, spent Sunday with home folks.

Congratulations to Charlie Holbrook and bride of Hicksville. We wish them success and many years of happiness.

Miss Nannie Steele who is teaching school at Patrick spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moore and Mr. Arlie Holbrook and Misses Erma and Pluma Prince attended the show at Blaine Saturday.

Jim O'Bryan and children who have been visiting here returned Monday to their home in Dingenen, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos H. Cordie and little daughter Velma Ruth of London, Ohio are attending the Home Coming Week and then make a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Baker were the pleasant dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Griffith Sunday.

Misses Opal Baker and Pluma Prince were the Sunday afternoon guests of Miss Ada Steele.

Several from here attended the Home Coming Week at Louisa.

Mrs. Vivian Cordie and little son were calling on Mrs. Susie Prince Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steele and little sons were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Steele.

Jennings Cordie made a trip to Louisa Saturday with a load of lumber.

Dewey E. Moore who is teaching at Lower Laurel was calling on home folks Sunday.

Remember church at Cordell the 3rd Saturday and Sunday. SNOW DEAR.

Ashland Man Killed By Train in Yards

John Callihan, 55, a track walker, was run over and instantly killed by a yard engine in Ashland Monday. He was working at some task in line of his duties as a track walker and there being a freight train on the opposite track, he did not hear the approaching switch engine.

Callihan was the father of Leonard Callihan, who was killed July 25 last, when he fell from a box car near the roundhouse. His wife survives. She lives in Pollard.

MADGE AND IRAD

Mrs. James P. Prince of Irad is visiting relatives in Louisa.

Messrs. John B. Damron and Clyde C. Curnutte made their regular call at Wm. Shannon's Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Dry Ridge Sunday.

Miss Hazel Frasier of Ashland who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Damron and family has returned home.

Mona Pigg spent Sunday with the Messrs. Barnett.

Mrs. Sink Jordan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Berry of Louisa.

Misses Martella Shannon, Gertie and Ruby Damron and Don Carter were the guests of Mrs. Matilda Meek Sunday.

Liss and Roscoe Prince made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

Miss Golda Hughes is visiting relatives and friends at level.

Messrs. Jewel Damron and Golda and Gertrude Barnett attended church at Dry Ridge Sunday.

Miss Jean Shannon spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Moore.

Jay Spillman and John B. Damron were business callers in Louisa Saturday.

Several from here attended the ice cream festival at Smoky Valley Saturday night.

Miss Eva Carter left Monday for Columbus, O., where she will visit friends and relatives.

Martin Adams, Arlie Thompson and McKinley Roberts were visitors at our school Friday evening.

Miss Jewel Damron spent Tuesday evening with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Burton of Irad.

There will be church at this place Saturday night, September 10th and Sunday. Also baptizing Sunday morning.

Remember Sunday school every morning at 9:30 o'clock.

PRIMROSE.

MRS. NANCY BILLUPS.

One of our oldest and most highly respected women. If not the oldest in Louisa, is Mrs. Nancy Billups, who is in her 89th year. She is a sister of Prof. T. B. McClure and Mrs. Bloss. She was born and reared six miles from Louisa and has lived here ever since her marriage. Mrs. Billups has been in feeble health for some time, but her mind is as clear as ever. In connection with the article in this issue about Prof. McClure will be found some family history.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pigg and children are visiting at Whitehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Compton and children motored to Marrowbone Sunday.

Mrs. John Neely and children are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Compton and Opal are visiting relatives at Betsey Layne.

Mrs. Albert Boyd and Mrs. Jessie Powell were guests of Mrs. Geo. Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. T. K. Johnson and children are expected home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Damron and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Damron and children were at Ashcamp Sunday.

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LOUISA KENTUCKY

(WE'VE COME HOME TO YOU)

By Pauline Gartin Funk

Louisa Kentucky under skies of blue
Louisa Kentucky, patriotic, staunch and true!
You have made a splendid record
Throughout one hundred years,
Many are the friendly handclaps
Many are the joys and tears!

We've come back to the land of playmates once more!
We're carefree and happy as of yore!
Your great spirit served to guide us
Out through life and on to fame!
Proud we are Louisa,
Proud we are of your good name!

Your sons and your daughters who have come to honor you
Hail proudly from Louisa
And from Lawrence County too!
God bless our fathers and our mothers
And their ancestors few,
Who settled Lawrence county in (1822) eleven twenty-two.

We know that our children will carry on the fight
To battle for our heritage that "right is right!"
For we love to hear the slogan,
"Big Sandy 'gainst the world."
It thrills our hearts with ecstasy
As when old glory is unfurled!

CHORUS

We've journeyed back home to Louisa
To Lawrence County and to you!
Our hearts are beating at the meeting
With loyalty, true blue!
How dear to our hearts are the scenes of our childhood,
The fond recollections have surely come.
We will sing one song for the old Kentucky home!
Hail Louisa! We've come home to you!

(The above song was composed by daughter of Mrs. Melville Gartin Funk, of Chicago. She and her mother will be here at Home Coming.)

HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

A COLUMN DEDICATED TO TIRED MOTHERS AS THEY JOIN THE HOME CIRCLE AT EVENING TIDE.

In Babylon.

While to the sky's astonishment
The sea grows golden with the dawn.
The people heard in Babylon
With windows closed and curtains drawn.

The people talk in Babylon
Of what is right and what is wrong;

The people talk in Babylon
Of art and music, life and song.

In Babylon the music plays,
While all night long the dances rave.

To cymbal, drum, and saxophone:
The swarming dancers interweave.

Like savage hordes at tribal rites:
They shuffle by in seething droves.

They make small words of this and that
And palter at their maudlin loves.

Yet, when the brain-sick dark has gone,
I find it good indeed to know

That, beyond roaring Babylon,
The fruits of earth and labor grow.

That long and clean the furrows fall
Unhindered by the bullock's beight

Where pleasure spins her golden top
In citadels of vain delight!

A great many parents make a sad mistake in not commanding the respect of their children. In their zeal to keep young and active, many of them seem to think it necessary to surrender their dignity, but such is not the case. It is unfortunately a rare thing now to see children accord to their parents the obedience and respect our grandparents demanded.

"Mother" and "Father" have been changed to "the old man" and "the old woman."

Parents' wishes and commands are disregarded as lightly as though they had never been given. But the child can hardly be blamed for this new attitude. Most children are the result of their rearing. If the rearing has been faulty, the result is not very pleasing. And this is in the hand of the parents. If they fall down on their jobs, on their heads is the punishment.

Rearing children is a mighty serious business and the sooner this fact is appreciated the better. In some unenlightened countries parents bring children into the world and consider their responsibility ended as far as that child is concerned. It grows up the best it can. But we scarcely expect that sort of thing in America, though we often find it.

We give all our attention to constantly destroying evils. In fact many times we cause all evil to assume greater proportions than it would otherwise, simply because we make such a fuss over it. What we should do is build up good institutions and in time the evil ones will die out for want of attention. Let our reformers change their battle cry for a while and in place of constantly crying, "Down with Evil," let them cry instead, "Build up the Good." Evil is a great deal like a spoiled child. The more attention you pay to it the worse it becomes.

The best test of whether you are where you belong is whether you like your work or not. There is some line of activity for which you were intended and when you find it your work will excel because you will love it.

TWIN BRANCH

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Prince were calling on the latter's parents Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Mays of Catlettsburg has been visiting relatives at this place. She returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams and baby were calling at Dave Curnutte's Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Jobe and Cora Mays were the dinner guests of Mrs. Carrie Jobe Friday.

Luther Jobe was in Louisa Monday on business.

Charley Chaffin passed up Twin Branch Sunday.

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Lock and Dam in Big Sandy River at Louisa

This was the first movable dam built in the United States. It is known as a needle dam, a French type. Mr. B. F. Thomas was in charge of the work and had French publications translated to get full information as to the dams.

Mr. Thomas has published a work on movable dams that is used as a text book in all the leading engineering colleges of the United States and in some other countries as well. This book brought him the annual medal from the American Society of Engineers for the best work or article published during the year — a very high compliment.

The dam at Louisa makes a pool 18 feet deep, and puts six feet of water on the sill of the dam at Chapman, eight miles up Levisa and on the sill of the Salspeter dam on Tug.



Lawrence County Court House Built About 1880.



PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING ERECTED IN 1888.



M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, 1917.



FIVE GENERATIONS.

Above is a picture taken several years ago showing a remarkable instance of five generations — Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. Nancy Garred, Mrs. Onolda Burgess, Mrs. Corilda Burgess Thompson and little son.